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KIUKIANG'S NEW STATUS.

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ORDINARY TREATY PORT.

FROM ICHANG.

LABOUR UNION THREATS.

Changes of a far-reaching character regarding the status of the British Concession at Kiukiang are to be made on March 15th. as a result of the agreement concluded between Mr. O'Malley and Mr. Eugene Chen The administration of the Concession is to be handed over unconditionally to the Nationalists and the assets of the British Municipal Council will be transferred to a Club to be incorporated as a Company. "Kiukiang will thus become an ordinary Treaty Port. The cheque for \$40,000 covering damage suffered by Britishers has already been paid.

A serious incident at Ichang is reported by Naval wireless, a clash having occurred between a naval party and some stevedores. This has given rise to a serious situation and Labour Unions are demanding the removal of all gunboats and British forces within 24 hours.

There have been further cases of firing on foreign steamers on. the Yangtsze, and the Tupan of Anhui has threatened to commandeer the British s.s. Kutwo.

It is reported that the Soviet Government is appointing M Karakhan as representative to South China and that he is proceeding to Hankow to "recognise" the Nationalist Government.

London, Mar. 6. forced out on strike.—Naval Wire-

Wuhu, Mar. 6.

The refusal of the request of

General Chen, the Tupan of An-

Chen has taken over the com

Army, and has defected to the

Serious Ichang Incident.

was transferring cargo to a steam-

The Labour Unions have issued

er, was attended to by forces and

demands requiring the removal of

the gunboats and all British forces.

with a threat of trouble within 24

hours if their demands are not ac-

Shasi Quiet.

Shasi is very quiet. Only about

300 troops are left here, the remain-

der having been transferred down

river. A number of disbanded

soldiers have turned bandits and

they are operating between Shasi

No Change.

and Ichang .- Naval Wireless.

tion to report.—Naval Wireless.

equipment are also coming acros

The Soviet s.s. Pamiot Lenina

has been detained and her flag re-

moved. Mrs. Borodin and three

motor barges have been comman-

Troops Moving.

Troops and stores have arrived

(Continued on page 12.)

... Chinkiang, Mar. 6.

in large quantities....

White Russians.

ceded to.—Naval Wireless.

has led to a serious situation.

· Ichang, Mar. 6.

Shasi, Mar. 6.

Hankow, Mar.fl 6.

Nanking, Mar. 6.

South.—Naval Wireless.

Details have been received of less. the Agreement relating to the Threat to Commandeer "Kutwo." British Concession at Kiukiang. which was effected between Mr. ! O'Malley and Mr. Eugene Chen and signed on March 2nd.

s.s. Kutwo has led to his threater The British Government has ing to commandeer her. General cancelled the British Municipal Chen has been informed that ha Regulations and will hand over cannot have the vessel, and up to unconditionally the administration of the Concession area to the Chinese Nationalist Governmeht taken. as from March 15th. mand of the 37th Nationalis

The Chinese Nationalist Government has transmitted a cheque for \$40,000 (£5,000) in full settlemen of all the losses suffered by British subjects during the recent disturbances at Kinkiang.

The assets of the British Muni cipal Council, which are the property of the ratepayers, are to be transferred to a Club, which will be incorporated as a Company, now in process of formation and registration.

Kinking thus reverts to the status of an ordinary Treaty Por like Foochow or Chefoo,-British Wireless.

Bund Licences Confirmed,

Hankow, March 4. Mr. Eugene Chen has handed to Mr. O'Malley a cheque for covering the damage sustained by Britishers at Kiū klang. 🚁

Notes were exchanged between Mr. Chen and Mr. O'Malley on March 2nd, in which the British Government agrees "to the British Municipal Regulations, and to hand over unconditionally the administration of the area at Kiukiang to the Nationalist Government as from March 15th. The Nationalist Government agree to confirm the existing Bund frontage licences issued from the British authorities amongst the Shantung troops and current for ten years.

The distribution of the \$40,000 river from Pukow. Stores and is left entirely to the British Government.—Reuter.

NAVAL REPORTS.

More Firing at Steamers.

as passengers, have been sent Kiukiang, Mar. 6. Steamers passing in the neigh- under escort to Tsinan, it is rebourhood of Tatung are still be- ported. ing fired on by troops on the Three Standard, Oil Company's banks.

Anking appears to be normal, deered for carrying troops,though troops are visible and field Naval Wircless. guns can be heard. Several fires have been noticed in the vicinity of Tatung.

A Customs' launch has been selzed and the engine dismantled from down river and are continuby Labour pickets, while the na- ling up river.-Naval Wireless. tive staff of the Customs has been.

RED RULE.

號七月三英港香

HUPEH OPTIMISTS DISILLUSIONED.

TROOPS EXACT FUNDS.

Before the Nationalist troops came to Anlu (says a correspondent of the Shanghai Times), some of the trustful folk of Anlu appeared bags of rice and their treasury chest along with them, and want any financial support locally They know better now.

After two or three small forced. loans had been made the order came that the gentry were to supply \$5,000, the merchants \$8,000 and the country \$80,000 in all. was to be rushed in at once had been very little trade for some larger than the old cars, they are months and the shop employees were out for two month's extra to indicate the station at which wages, so the Anlu merchants faced the New Year in a very pessimistic mood and their Na- the old cars. tionalist sympathies have had a cold douche.

Missionaries Withdraw.

The foreign staff of the Mission has withdrawn to Hankow in accordance with policy of bringing 55. stations. We had no disturbances, however, beyond the usual speechifying from platforms erected in the streets. The speeches with the exception of alwoman orator, were not directed too pointedly against us, and as the officer in command of the garrison had called round and assured us that no active demonstration would be allowed against foreigners or their hui, to be allowed to charter the buildings, though he could not stop the agitators talking, we had not much anxiety.

Unpaid Tupeh Recruits.

the present no action has been. Hupch recruits with a stiffening found the premises closed. of Southerners. They are drilled with energy, but are pourly equipped and have not been paid to date. One man told me "that he had, been over two months in the army, marched 500 li, and received to date in each the sum of A clash between a naval party (10 cents.,

and stevedores when the former Our Tuchun (who commanded 1,500 men) was superseded, as a result of complaints of his having falsified accounts in buying stores it is said. The man who supersoded him came on horseback 80 miles without stopping with only two orderlies. He arrived at 10 p.m. and the other man left eight hours later.

Since then one detachment of soldiers has been disarmed, so evidently they are not trusted. munition with them.

Boarding Schools Close.

There is no change in the situa-We came down the Han river by native boats and had an uneventful journey. The boatmen refused to anchor between Shayang and Changchiakang, 50 mile below, as Fifteen hundred White Russian bundits are so numerous in that troops under General Mechaes are stretch. The American and Swidish Missionaries from higher up chang and Ichang, have decided to were charged by

in Hankow by now. Our Mission has decided to close down all boarding schools for the present, and thus have a settled \$20,000. Russian, Jews, who were travelling policy for our work in the province. The Nationalist demands for registration of schools in Hupeh are at present such that if acceded to the schools would lose their instinctive Christian character to a large extent. The whole situation in China must get better or worse during the year. If it gets worse, Christian education, whether the schools register or not, will be impossible; whilst if things improve it may be possible for schools to be registered on much

more reasonable terms.

PEAK TRAMWAY'S NEW CARS.

\ MONDAY, MARCH

REPLACE 30-YEAR OLD COACHES.

MORE ACCOMMODATION.

For the first time; the new and larger cars of the Peak Tramway subjected to a severe testing, some this morning. heavy loads being carried.

Later in the day, when the ordinary passengers service was resumed, there was much praise to year, was declared. be heard for the new cars, which are handsome and very excellently fitted up. They have been built by the Hongkong and Whampon Dock silver or notes—no copper. There Company and, in addition to being equipped with very comfortable seats and push bells for passengers they wish to alight. Also, they are very much better lighted than

It is interesting to note that the old cars have been in commission for about 30 years, having been built at Home. They had seating accommodation for 42 passengers, whereas the new cars can carry According to the new rules in all British subjects from country under the Peak Tramway, Ordinance it is provided that 37 firstclass passengers and 18 third class may be carried on up journeys, and that on the down journess 39 firstclass, and 16 third class an be accommodated.

AMOY POST OFFICE.

EMPLOYEES GO ON STRIKE

A correspondent, writing from Amoy, states that he had occasion The soldiers at Anlu are mostly to visit the Post Office there, and

On enquiring into the matter, the correspondent was informed that the employees had gone on strike. It appears that the workers are demanding an increase of pay, shorter hours, a month's leave every year on full pay and the establishment of a Superannaution Fund.

The increase of pay asked for is that wages in local dollars be converted into Shanghal tael values.

REPORTED TO BE WALKING OVERLAND.

. London, March 6. A message from Casablancal The general then decided to dis- Morocco says that a French Air arm the local Militia as he thought Company's aeroplane has landed their rifles would be useful for near the wreck of Major Larre his men. But the Militia heard Borges' aeroplane, and that local about it just in time, and made Moors informed the occupants for-the open country during the that the Uruguayan airmen had night, taking their arms and am- started afoot for Cape Juby,-

WORKERS CHARGED.

ALLEGED DAMAGED TO MACHINERY.

Six Chinese workmen, recently dismissed from Messrs. M. Y. which are continually crossing the the Han, at Hsiang-yang, Fan. San's biscuit factory at Wanchai, converted from the old canvas curleave for the present and should be Rozeskwy, before Mr. R. E. Lind- have been painted green. This sell this morning, with intimidation and with damaging valuable sets of machinery to the extent of

The case was remainded.

FUNERAL TRAGEDY.

MOTOR BUS OVERTURNS.

London, March 6. Two men were killed and injured, owing to a motor bus, conveying people to Cwm to attend the funeral of mining disaster victims, overturning and falling over a bank, Reuter.

TRAMWAY CO.

INCREASED TRAFFIC RECEIPTS.

NEARLY A RECORD.

An increase of fourteen per cent: in traffic receipts for were put into commission yester- first eight weeks of the current day. The service was suspended year, as compared with the correschange was being effected and also tioned by the Hon. Mr. D. G. M. changed hands for \$440,000. while official tests were being Bernard at the annual meeting of

cent., making 22 per cent. for the

question of adopting green as the standard colour for its cars, this the financial viewpoint, attained colour having stood up very wel in the recent experiments.

The Hon. Mr. D. G. M. Bernard occupied the chair at this morn ing's meeting, and there were also present:-Sir Robert Ho Tung, the Hon, Mr. A. O. Lang, Mr. A. H Compton (Directors), Mr. L. C. F Béllamy (General Manager), Mr F. Simmons (Secretary) Messrs. W. J. Stokes, F. Austin Lo Man-hin, O. Kitchell, F. M. Crawford, C. F. Ribeiro, Chan Yat-fung, G. W. Sewell, John Fleming, J. T. Bagram, P. Tester A. A. Alves, F. H. Crapnell, Kwok Hin-wang, W. E. Van Eps, and B Branch (shareholders),

The Secretary read the notice convente the meetings Chairman Speech.

usual procedure and take them as vices since then were of the in the present scheme. greatest value to the Company.

Although the past year has been the second best-beaten only by 1.24-in the history of the Company, it has been adversely affected by unusually bad weather and consequential interruptions. The electrical storm in July caused a drop of about \$11,000 one week alone and per sistent bad weather in September caused that month to show passengers than previous January.

New Cars,

twelve make cars we have had hitherto. model of this car is now on the table in front of you. A number of other cars have had the wheelbase extended from 6' 6", to 7' 6" in our own shops. The vestibule saloon top seems now to be regarded as a necessity rather than a luxury and by the end of this year half the cars will have been Sergeant tain arrangement. Several colour has, so far, stood up wel and the Board is considering the question of ultimately adopting sell this morning. this colour as standard.

shadowed in my speech last year, of the application, Mr. Lindsell we are now off that dangerous again adjourned the case until section on "the sea-side of the Thursday. Taikoo Club. The P. W. D. have completed the cutting near Quarry Bay and although our new track is at present only single and of a temporary nature, it is expected that we shall lay down the permanent track towards the end of this year so that 12 months hence the extremely impor-(Continued on Page 4.)

BIG LOCAL PROPERTY DEAL.

NEW CHINESE RESTAURANT SCHEME.

ECHO OF WEMBLEY.

There has recently been put through in Hongkong an important deal, as a result of which a block of buildings situated within the heart of the city, and known as to think that they would bring their during the morning while the ponding period last year, was men- No. 26, Des Voeux Road Central.

Owned until recently by the carried out. The new cars were the Hongkong Tramways, Limited, Store, which occupies the ground floor, the property has now been A final dividend of twelve per acquired by Chinese who are interested chiefly in the restaurant business, these being the members of the syndicate which managed The Company is considering the the Chinese Restaurant at the British Empire Exhibition at Wem-

bley. The signal success, from at the Exhibition, has encouraged the promoters to duplicate the business in Hongkong, possibly on a much enlarged scale. As a first step they have purchased Messrs. A. Tack's valuable building in Des Voeux Road Central, and have now embarked the forma on tion of a company capitalised at \$500,000 to finance the project

It is learned that the building, which is still in a very good condition in spite of its being twenty years' old, will not be pulled down, but that extensive alterations to the interior, necessitated by the character of the proposed business, will be carried out. A main entrance and staircase, with a lift.

Closely identified with the new we have to record the death of the kee and Lam Tit-sang. The ies which have amongst their

garding the interior, and work is to commence very shortly.

MOTOR TOUTING.

THREE MEN FINED.

Two motor-car touts were each fined \$5 by Major C. Willson this morning.

that, regardless of his uplifted arm, the defendants started off from Mr. McCallum said that was During the year, six old cars Chater Road with a load of passenhave been scrapped and replaced by gers bound for the Races, and as new cars of 8' 6" wheel-base, the car passed him, he reached out his living at his own trade. and pulled one of the defendants Other rules which into off the running-board.

Another Chinese, who appeared vestibule top-covered cars on 8' 6" on a similar charge, was fined \$5, Peckham pendulum trucks which on evidence given by an Indian are a great improvement on any constable on duty outside the Post

"HANOI" PIRACY.

ANOTHER REMAND GRANTED

The case in which a Chinese is charged with being concerned in the recent piracy of the French steamer Hanoi, and in which an application is being made by the French authorities for the cused's extradition to Indo-China again-came before Mr. R. E. Lind-

Remarking that proceedings had Regarding the track, as fore- gone far enough for the purposes

ROYAL TOUR.

DUKE AND DUCHESS IN NEW ZEALAND.

Wellington, March 6. The Duke and Duchess of York tant work of re-laying and doub- have arrived and were given an were classified according to their enthusiastic reception.—Reuter.

UNION SUED.

IS IT UNLAWFUL SOCIETY?

ARGUMENT IN COURT.

In the Summary Court, this morning before Mr. J. R. Wood, acting Chief Justice, Mr. D. Mc-Callum sought to prove that the Kwong Yee Tong, (Mason Workers' Guild), against which an action was brought, was an unlawful partners of the A. Tack Furniture | Society, and that therefore his Lordship could not entertain any claim against it, as he had no juris-

> There are six Chinese plaintiffs, who claim on behalf of themselves and others interested the sum of \$266, as money received by the defendant on behalf of the plaintiffs. In the alternative, they claim \$249.92 as money due in accordance with the rules of the Guild. They also claim their costs. Mr. F. E. Loseby is appearing for the plaintiffs, and Mr. D. McCallum for the defendant. At the previous hearing, it was stated by the defence that on the outbrenk of the strike in 1925 the funds of the Guild were taken to Canton for strike purposes, and it was alleged that members had become pickets.

Trade Union?

Mr. McCallum said, in the first place, his Lordship had to consider exactly what sort of a Society it was-whether it could will be constructed while the roof | rightly be called a Friendly will be transformed into a roof Society or a Trades' Union. So Messrs. Tack, far as the law of the Colony on although they will have to move the point avas concerned, there was The chairman said: Gentlemen, out very shortly when reconstructionly one Ordinance, and that was -The report and statement of tion work is commenced, will re- the Societies' Ordinance, which accounts, together with the audi- turn to their present premises on repealed all other ordinances. It tors' report, have been in your completion, as they have obtained merely made provision for declarhands for some days and with an option on the lease for the ing certain Societies illegal, and your permission I will follow the whole space of the ground floor. | was a most general sort of law.

Quoting from the 'Ordinance, read. It is with deep regret that scheme are Messrs. Woo Sui- Mr. McCallum read: "All Societlate Sir Paul Chater in May last latter organised and had charge objects unlawful purposes, or puryear. He became a Director of of the Chinese Restaurant at the poses incompatible with the peace the Company at the time of the Wembley Exhibition, and new and good order of the Colony, are transfer of the Board of Directors ideas in restaurant business gain- unlawful." There was no questo Hongkong in 1914 and his ser- ed there will be largely utilised tion of any Trade Union or Friendly Society Ordinances, and the Architects have been commist only rules which could affect the sioned to go into the details re- case were the amended regulations of the Society itself. At the suggestion of his Lord-

> ship, Mr. McCallum went through the rules, in detail. Rule No. 4, he said, was the only one that actually deal with the objects of the Society, and it referred to such matters as burialoof members on their death. Referring to Rule 5, which stated that a member who did not qualify for the senior Traffic Sergeant Clarke stated grade would not be allowed to take up any work under contract. against public policy, as it prevented a man from Callum declared to be against public policy and illegal, were deductions from attempts by the masters, to fix wages for themselves and their servants, and what he termed "restraint of trade." The rule referring to the latter stated that if there were any dispute remaining unsettled in regard to work, no other member was allowed to take over the contract and continue the work, so as to avoid giving rise to complicated disputes. Mr. McCallum, referring to the latter, said if a man refused to pay, quite genuinely, because the work was bad, it meant that nobody would be allowed to go and finish the work.

After examining the rules, his Lordship remarked that it would be very difficult to argue that it was merely a Friendly Society.

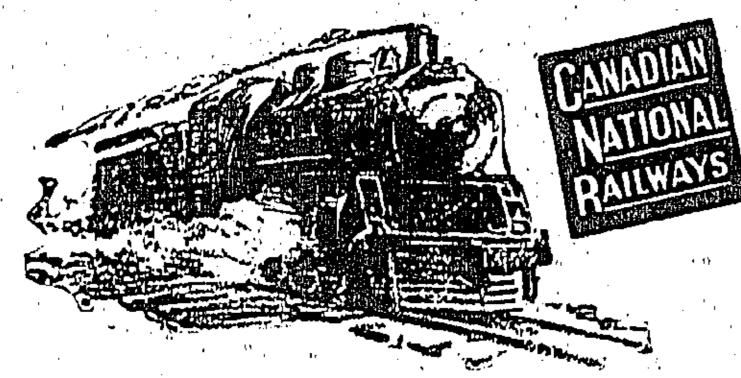
An Apprenticeship.

On the question of the illegality or legality of the Union, the rule referring to a man having to take his senior grade before he could take up work, under contract was discussed.

His Lordship said it meant that members of the Society who were connected with the building trade (Continued on page 12.)

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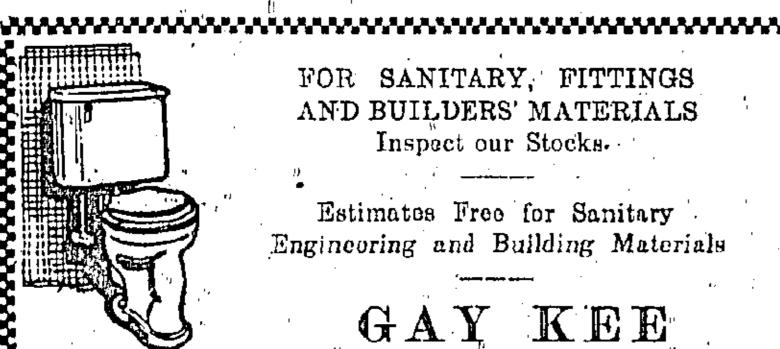
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RATIONALIST DINNER.

ASSOCIATION OBJECTS OUTLINED.

Mr. Ng Sze-kwong, proposing the teast of "The Guests," thankname indicated, was not a religious society. It was merely an religion. organised body basing its beliefs on scientific research and its members hoped that by research the truth.

Mr. J. E. Macdonald replied for the guests, and said he almost reannual one, instead of a bi-annual

Proposing the tenst of R.P.A.", the president, Mr. Lamble, said, in part: I take the opportunity of stating publicly what the Association does not do. It does not interest itself in ransacked in vain for evidence of polities, and it has no sympathy with anarchic revolution as has been hinted on several occasions locally. It is a curious thing that things must be spiritually under- CABIN BOY ESCAPES. a number of people cannot con-ceive of others being loyal subjects of the state and good citizens, or to have ideals and yet have no psychic need of any supernatural aid: or to be honest lenough not to assent to a mere verbal formula when no real Press of Hongkong," Mr. A. M. belief exists. Those people will Bowes-Smith said: We in this probably be surprised to learn Colony are fortunate in possessing that we drink the loyal toast at a Press which is impartial these gatherings of ours.

Every great philosopher has passed through the phase of

The Way to Truth.

of unbelief. In spite of all the papers at all. talk about a revival of religion here and there; in spite of the empty verbiage about man's evident.

supernaturalism, but in the funda- less speech by the Bishop

mentals of religious belief. The output of rationalistic with a Mohammedan protest. works from the leading publishing In particular, I would express firms, an output undreamt of ten our appreciation of the adequate years ago, goes to prove this. publicity given to our annual personal views on the merits of And all this has been gained by meeting and occasional corresponmen and women fighting indepen- dence. (Hear, hear). dently, and by bodies like our parent Association struggling would offer. A body known as Smith of a section of the Home s much cause for gratification on our side (applause).

An Educative Institution.

Replying, Mr. R.A.D. Forrest said, in part: The R.P.A. is primarily an educative institution.
By publishing works, which the Churches would fain have kept from the knowledge of the people, it pursues its main object.

We believe that it is in the common interest that intellectual education should continue in the adult years of life, and that the halo of sanctity should be dimmed

by a general knowledge of the questionableness of orthodox OWNERS AND JOCKEYS. views on biblical criticism.

It should be known, for in-

stance, that many thoughtful men--a recent census taken by a literary paper in England shows The fourth annual dinner of how narrow is the orthodox the Hongkong Rationlist Press majority-reject the central ideas Association was held at the Hotel of the Christian creed; it should Savoy on Saturday night, Mr. P.T. be known how far critics, many Lamble presiding. The objects themselves clergymen, have gone of the Association were outlined in their attitude to the question in the speeches made in connexion of the genuineness of the sacred with the various toasts, and a books; it should be known that pleasing musical programme was comparative mythology has deprovided by the Savoy Orchestra, stroyed the uniqueness of the Mrs. Hooper and Mr. Bowes- Christianity legends; and that the attitude towards truth in the time of the early Church was such that one of its most learned ed the visitors for their presence writers could write that he had and said the Association, as its in his history suppressed all that could tend to the disgrace of

Divergent Views.

Our individual members have they would gain a wider know- doubtless, as befits all good ledge of their origin and establish citizens of whatever creed, their something which faith so far had political interests and convictions, failed to prove, always leaving but the Association embraces men in their minds some doubt as to of the most widely divergent political views and favours none. If there is any political tendency 'implicit in its position it is emgretted that the dinner was an phatically not a love of that revolutionary disorder which would, hamper its propaganda and convert intellectual energy to most

> irrational passion. In lighter yein, as besits such stupid slander, I shall end by saying that our archives will be dealings with the Cheka, and that bombs are not among our methods of propaganda. If spiritual shood, it is a legitimate corollary that spiritual errors must be spiritually as well as spiritedly combatted (applause).

An Impartial Press. —

believers and unbelievers.

Proposing the tonst of "The regard to religious controversy and opens its columns alike to

That is a remarkable fact for which we should feel thankful, the end of January, when a cabin examining what has been taken for the partiality of certain Home for granted, and it is the same journals for the views of clerics impulse which directs a man to as opposed to those of freethe study of philosophy. In the thinkers is most marked. General life of every thoughtful man publicity is given at Home to the there comes a time when every- pronouncements of Bishops, thing that has been assumed, and clergymen and the handful of on which he has confidently built, quasi-religious scientists like Sir collapses like a house of cards, Oliver Lodge, but the views of Hongkong) for trial. and, as during an earthquake, such "distinguished scientists, even the most solid looking struc- philosophers and literary men as the vessel was outside Hongkong are found among the patrons of harbour, lifebouys missing from Now the one thing that emerges our Association are seldom his place of confinement suggesat the present day is the growth given any "prominence in the ting that'he had jumped overboard.

No Local Bias.

Fortunately, we have no bias of craving for religion, that much is that kind to contend with here. (Hear, hear). In Hongkong. I am not speaking of morality; Theosophical meetings are remorality and religion are two ported. Union Church sermons different things." And it is not appear and are criticised in the merely a growth of unbelief in correspondence columns. A tact-London is given equal prominence

against great odds. And although the International Bible Students' Press, an editor, may in some the fight is not yet over, yet there Federation has recently been wasting its funds in sending narrow-mindedness of the reading tracts by post to educated people public to which his papers have in Hongkong, tracts which make to be made_acceptable as a one realise how near we still are business proposition. But at the to the ages of gross superstition bottom a Pressman is a staunch and abysmal_ignorance on this

> on no higher plane than that of | time which cannot be far distant the anti-Evolutionists in Tennessee. Personally, I should like however unorthodox in the minds the Press to give these people as of some, will not condemn a man much publicity as possible, for in the eyes of those who are able there is nothing more likely to ad- to influence his position. (Apvance the cause of Rationalism. | plause)

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Mr. Stanton) 0	1
Mr. Ramsey) ' 0	1

JUMPS INTO SEA FROM BRITISH VESSEL.

A cabin boy, detained in connexion with the murder of another seaman, is believed to have jumped into the sea from the s.s. Corbies when the vessel was between. Waglan lighthouse and Cape Collinson.

" It is stated that the ship was between Nagasaki and San Pedro, the South American port, towards boy was murdered and his body thrown overboard. Another boy was placed in custody in connexion with the crime, and when the Corbies arrived at San Pedro the British Consul instructed the master to bring the boy to the next British port touched (which was

The accused disappeared when Nothing more has been heard of the boy.

which is the cause of truth, than to allow these upholders of the literal interpretation of the Bible to expound their doctrines among educated people, leaving the public to judge their utterances for themselves. (Applause).

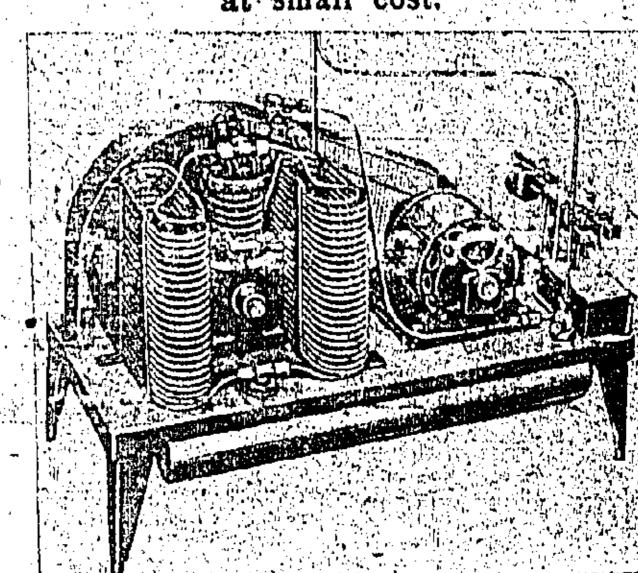
Pressman's Reply.

Replying, Mr. E. R. Price said: Pressmen may have conflicting the discussion regarding matters dence. (Hear, hear).

There is only one suggestion I ing the criticism by Mr. Bowesisolated cases be bound by the advocate and worker for the time that may not yet be but for which From these, it is clear that the his predecessors strove and the mentality of the Bible Students is | Rationalists are striving: the -when the advocacy of views,

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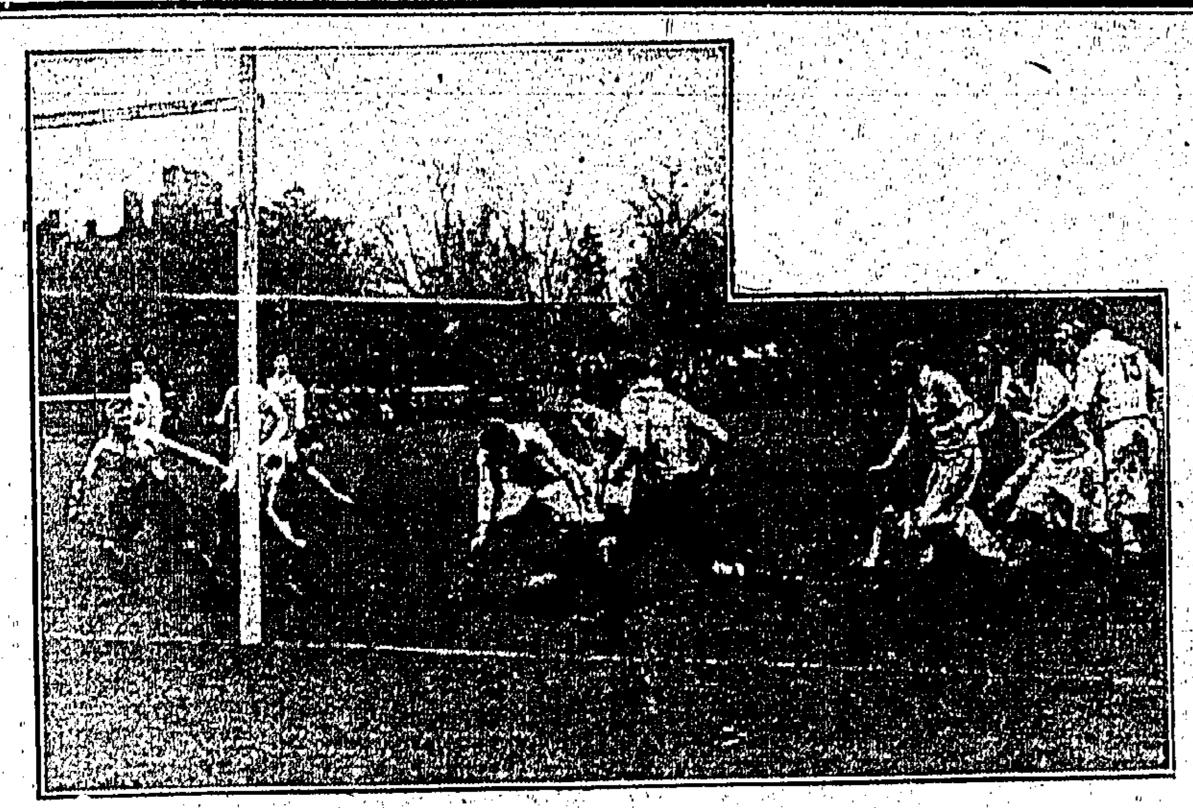
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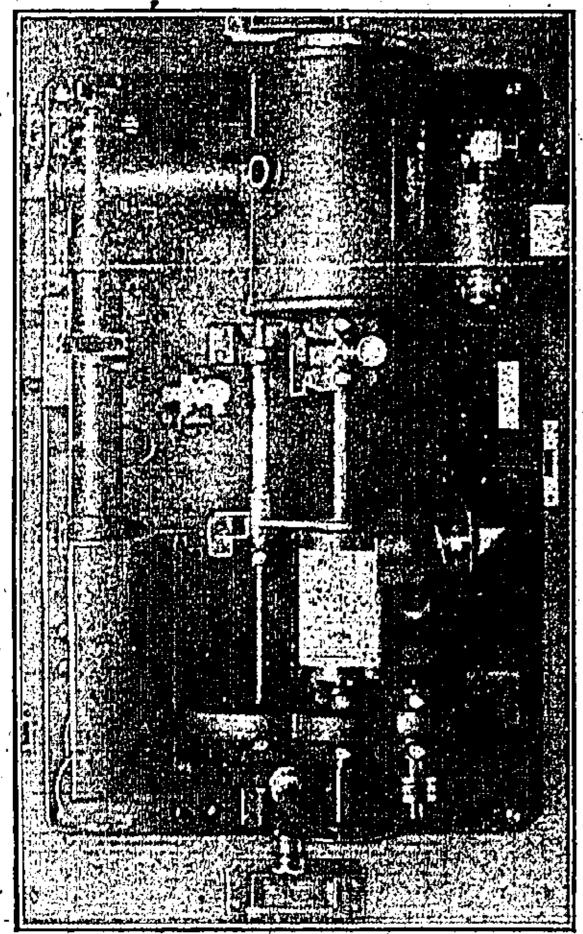
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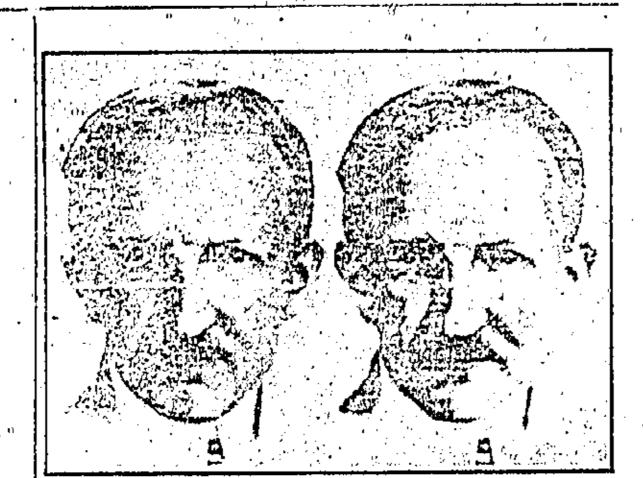


CAMBRIDGE UNIVERSITY V. ROYAL AIR FORCE.—Cambridge University beat the Royal Air Force by 25 points to 11 at Cambridge. Our photograph shows a Cambridge player about to pick up before scoring a try. (Times copyright).

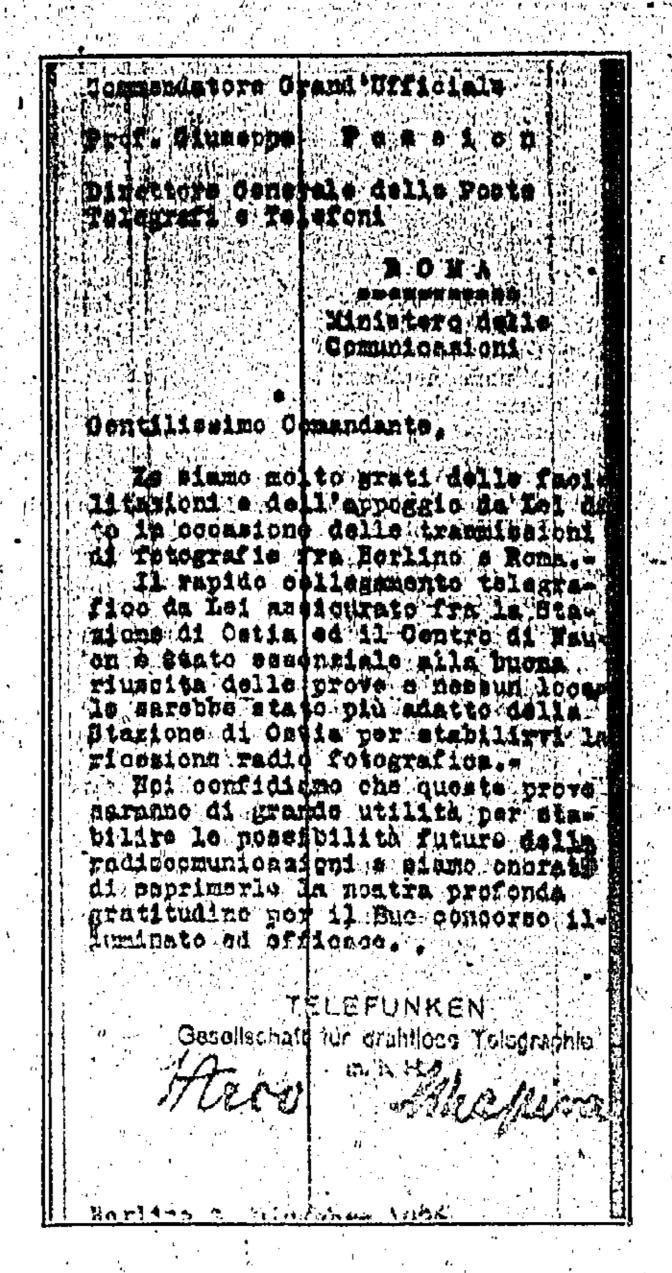


WIRELESS FACSIMILE TRANSMISSION.

—A photograph of the transmitting apparatus, showing a picture on the cylinder during the process. (Times copyright).

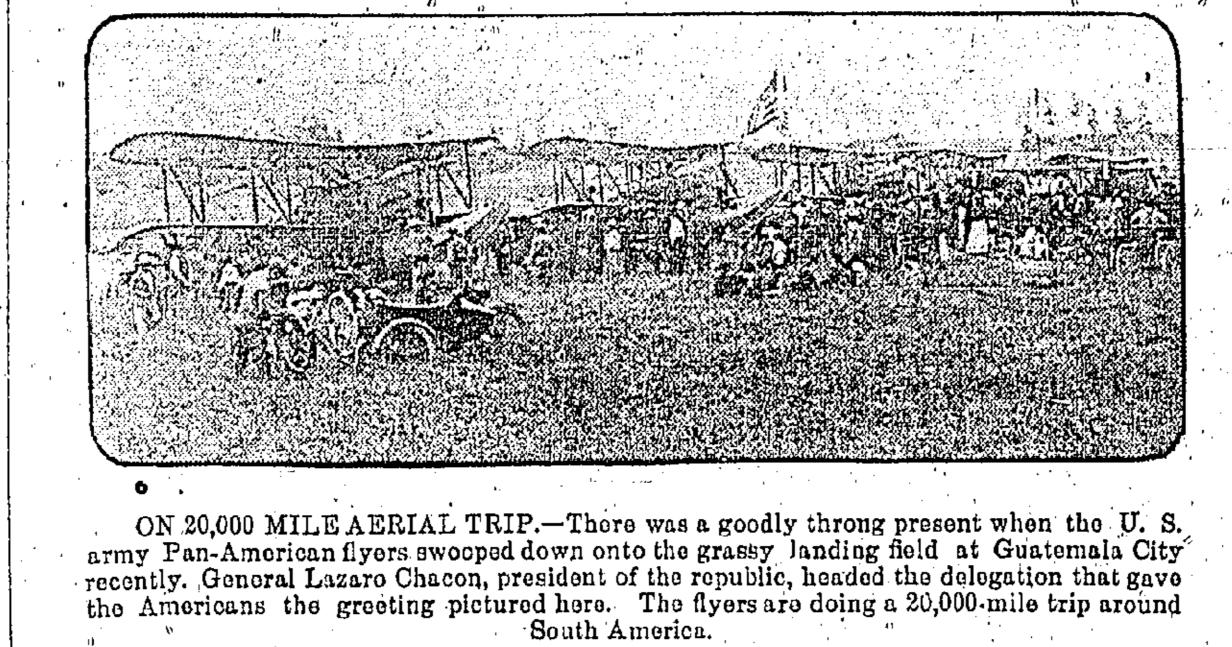


WIRELESS FACSIMILE TRANS-MISSION.—Examples of wireless transmission by the Telefunken-Karolus-Siemens system—the orginal portrait being given first, together with the facsimile as it was received. The portrait was transmitted in 20 seconds. It was sent from Berlin to Leipzig. (Times copyright.)



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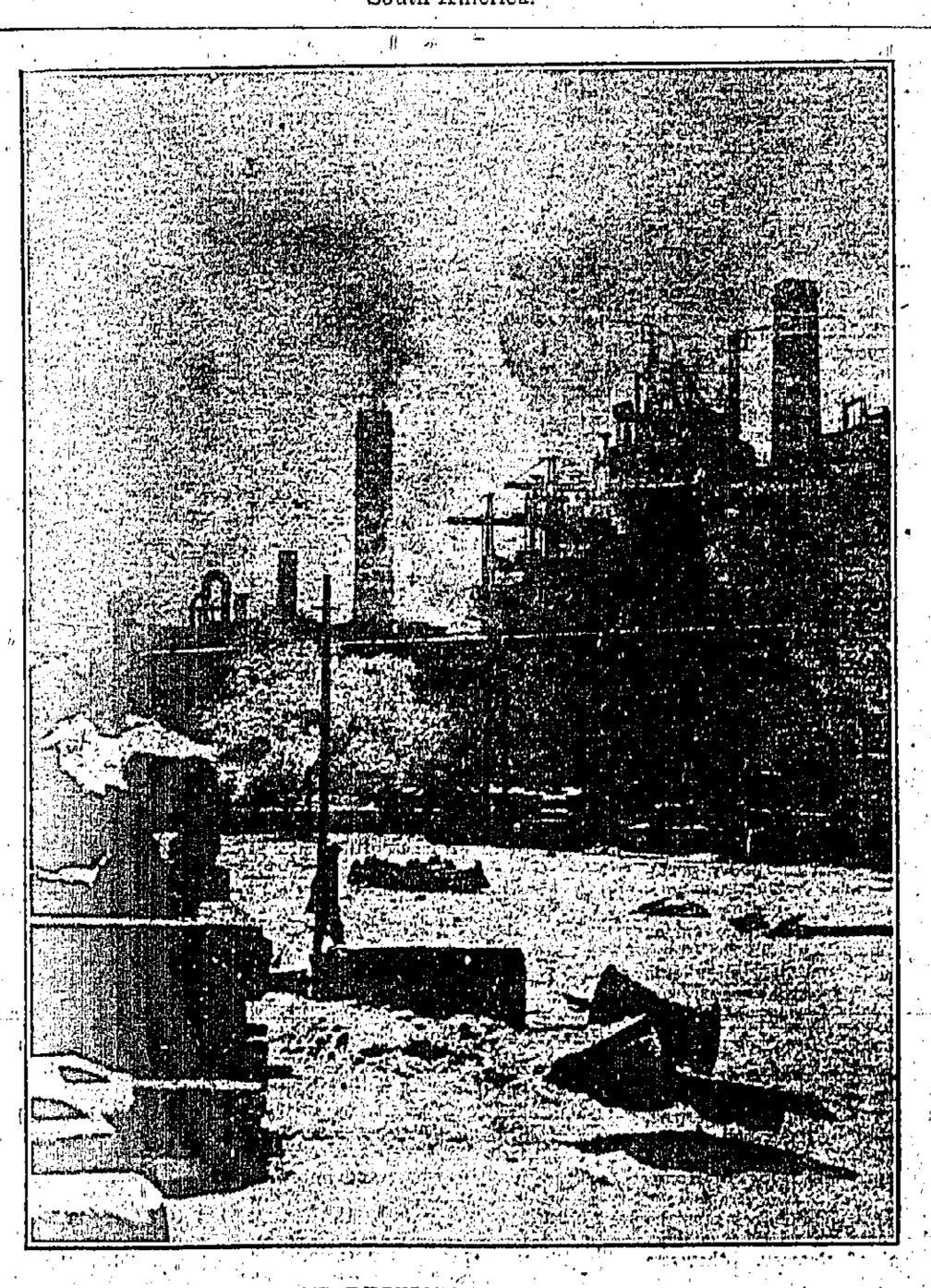
—Considerable advances in the wireless transmission of writing and pictures in facsimile have been made by a German system, the Telefunkon-Karolus-Siemens system, and it is hoped that a public service between Berlin and Vienna will be opened before the end of March. Our picture shows a letter as it was received in Rome from Berlin. (Times copyright).



MINE WORKERS' OFFICIALS.—Here's the "general staff" of the United Mine Workers of America—left to right, John L. Lewis, president; Thomas Kennedy, secretary-treasurer; Philip Murray, vice president. They were photographed at the opening of the mine workers' Indianapolis convention.



"WE ARE SEVEN".—This group of wire-haired terriers was taken at a recent Dog Show at Home."



THE REVIVAL OF BRITISH INDUSTRY.—A general view of the steel-works at Victoria, Ebbw Vale, Monmouthshire, where furnaces were relighted recent. When all five furnace are at work they will give employment to about three thousand men. These furnaces have been idle for a considerable period. (Times copyright.)

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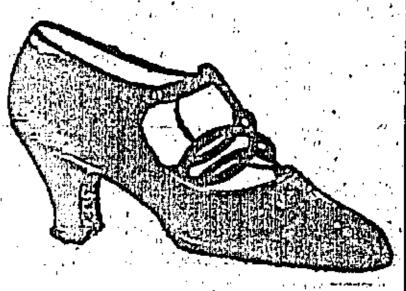
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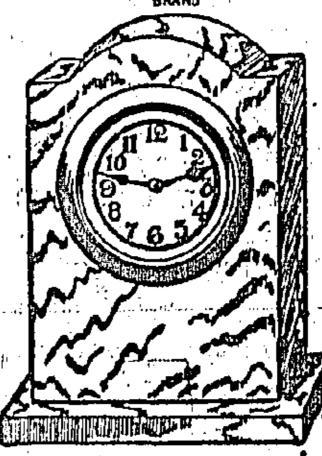
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TO LET .- From 1st April furnished flat at the Peak. "Apply Property Office Jardine, Matheson & Co., Ltd.

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NOTICE OF REMOVAL.

We have this day removed our Curin and Blackwood Shop to St. George's Building, "Ice House

ITWONG SANG. Hongkong, March 1st, 1927.

NOTICE.

Mr. J. Barendtszen being nu longer in our employ his Power of Attorney is hereby, cancelled.

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(South China) Fed. Inc., U.S.A. L. M. HOWE,

March 1st., 1927. THE HONGKONG ROPE

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Hongkong, 11th Feb., 1927.

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until further notice:-The section of MA HANG CHUNG ROAD between PAK TAI Street and PAU CHUNG Street.

G. R.

NOTICE

The Section of SHEUNG HEUNG ROAD between MA TAU WEI Road and PAU CHUNG

E. D. C. WOLFE, Capt. Supt. of Police. Hongkong, 5th March, 1927.

THE HONGKONG FIRE INSURANCE CO., LTD.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

The Fifty-eighth Ordinary General Meeting of Shareholders will be held at the Offices of the undersigned on Monday, the 28th March, 1927, at Noon, for the purpose of receiving the Report of the General Managers, together with a statement of Accounts for the year ended the 31st December 1926.

The Share Register and Transfer Books will be closed from the 14th to the 28th March, 1927, both

JARDINE, MATHESON & CO., LTD. General Managers,

Hongkong, 7th March, 1927.

Notice is hereby given that the the 8th, 9th and 10th March, 1927, Sixteenth Ordinary Annual General Meeting of Shareholders of the Company will be held at the and at Kowloon Naval Depot. Head Office, No. 6, Des Voeux Road Central, Hongkong, onWED-NESDAY, the 23rd March, 1927, at 2.30 p.m. for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Directors together with a Statement of Account's for the year ending 31st

December, 1926. The Transfer Books of the Com-March, 1927, to the 23rd March, 1927, (both days inclusive), during which period no transfer of shares can be registered,

By Order of the Board,

LOOK POONG SHAN, Hongkong, 7th March, 1927.

CONSIGNEE NOTICE.

AMERICAN & MACHURIAN LINE.

From NEW YORK.

The Steamship, "CITY OF BATH," having arrived, Consignees of Cargo Rags, Old Hessen, Cocoa Nut Matby her are informed that all Goods are being landed at their risk into the hazardous and/or extra-hazardous Godowns of Holt's Wharf, whence New Canvas Cuttings, Old Iron

Delivery may be obtained. the Goods have left the Godowns, and Special Representative, all Goods remaining undelivered after

be presented to the Undersigned on Hooks, Spring Balances, Gauges, or before 21st March, 1927, or they

will not be recognized. All broken, chifed and damaged The undermentioned Certificates Goods are to be left in the Godowns, Glass, Old Steel Wire Rope, Dirty where they will be examined on any Mineral Oil and Oil Fuel, Anchors, Tuesdays or Fridays, between hours of 10.45 a.m. and noon, within the Free Storage period of one week No Fire Insurance has been effect-

and of no effect and new Certi- ed by, THE BANK LINE, LIMITED., Ageneral Agents. Hongkong, March 7, 1927.

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Goods not cleared by the 14th March, 1927, will be subject to rent. All broken, chafed and damaged packages are to be left in the godowns, where they will be examined on the 12th March, 1927 at 10 am. by Messrs. Goddard and Douglas, Hong-

Claigs against the steamer must be presented in writing within ton days after arrival of steamer, otherwise they will not be recognized. No Fire Insurance will be effected by the undersigned in any case what-

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LAMMERT BROS., Auctioneer

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Pumps, &c., &c.

Sale of Old and Surplus Victualling Stores at

> Kowloon, on Thursday, 10th March.

> > comprising:-

Remnants of Cloth, Serge, Flannel, &c., Blankets, Boots, Sundry Articles, of Mess and Table Gear, Condemned Provisions for Poultry and Cattle Feeding, &c.

Lots may be inspected on Monday, 7th March, 1927. Terms of Sale:-As detailed in Catalogue.

LAMMERT BROS., By Appointment Auctioneers to the Admiralty. Hongkong, 19th February, 1927.

BANK'S NEW VAULTS.

BANK'S NEW VAULTS.

Even dynamite would not pene- ling the track between Causeway trate the walls of the new vaults of Bay and Shaukiwan will be almost the Bank of England which are half completed. now being constructed inside the ancient walls on the east and northern sections of the building.

Workmen pledged to secrecy are building these new vaults, to hold bullion and securities of immense value, at a depth of nearly 50 feet below the street level. The walls are made of heavy interlaced steelwork thickly covered with con

The great steel doors of the outer walls are kept closed and guarded, and only through a sma aperture in Bartholomew-lane can a glimpse of the cranes, concrete mixers, and scaffolding be obtain-

About a third of the old building has been demolished, and the framework has now reached street level on the Bartholomew-lane and

Lothbury sides of the Bank. intricacies of the new building be of a final dividend for 1926 of 60 ed into a moving picture theatre. revealed, for it is growing up in- cents per share absorbing \$390,- Financial depression among conyounger building.

SHARE PRICES.

TO-DAY'S QUOTATIONS.

The following is the list of local share - lotations issued to-day:-

Banks.

Hongkong Bank, \$1,060 b. Chartered Bank, £21 n. Mercantile A. & B., £32 n. Mercantile C., £137 n. P. and O., £91 b. East Asia, \$74 s.

Marine Ins.

Canton Ins., \$660 b. China Underwriters, \$.80 b. North China, Tls. 145 n. Union Ins., \$284 b. Yangtsze Ins., \$38 b.

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Hongkong Fire, \$615 b. Shipping Douglases, \$31½ n.

Steamboats, \$23, s: Tugs, \$1.10 n. Indo-Chinas, (Pref.) \$30 s Shell Trans., 98/- n. Star Ferries, \$551 , b. Waterboats, \$14 b.

Refineries.

China Sugars, \$22 Malabons, \$34 n. Mining e

Benguets, \$1.30 Kailans, 38/- n. Langkats, Tls. 241 n. S'hai Exploration, Tls. 4.50, n. Shanghai Loans, Tls. 71

Raubs. \$4 s.

Tronohs, 21/- b. Ural Caspians, 8/,- n.

Docks, etc. KowloonWharves, \$106 s. Whampoa Docks, \$40 n. Hongkows, Tls. 150 n. New Engineerings, Tls. 5 b.

Shanghai Docks Tls. 102 b. Lands, Hotels, etc. H. and S. Hotels, \$7.90 s. H.K. Lands, \$56 sa. Realtys, \$51. b. Territorials, \$21 s. Humphreys, \$127 b. Princes Bldgs, \$89

Rural Lands, \$11 s. Cottons.

Ewos Cottons, Tls. 8.40 s. Orientals, Tls. 21. n. S'hai Cottons, Tler 54 n

Buses, Trams.

China Buses, Tls. 9t b. Tramways, \$211 b..... Peak Trams, (old) \$151 b. S'pore Tractions 13/- s. Taxis, \$1 s.

Miscellaneous. Amusements, \$18.60

Canton Ices, \$5 n. Coments (Comb.) \$7 China Lights, \$141 n. China Prov., \$4.50 s. Constructions, \$2.30 Dairy Farms, \$175 b. Der A. Wing, \$6 n. H'kong Electrics, \$55 b. X. Div. Macao Electrics, \$35 n. Ropes (Old) \$10 Lane Crawfords, \$8 n. Mackintosh, \$19h n. Sinceres, \$81 8. United Asbestos, \$20 n. Watsons \$124 sa. Powells, \$61 n.

TRAMWAY CO.

(Continued from page 1.)

Increased Earnings.

Turning now to the accounts. the Working Account profit for the year is \$741,767.55 which is \$19,459.85 better than the previous year. You will recollect that owing to the strike which began in June 1925 our earnings for the second half of that year were very poor. They were much better during the year under review an I am pleased to say that receipts for the first eight weeks of the current year were 14 per cent. higher than during the corres ponding period in 1926. During the three days covering China New Year, our receipts constituted a

The balance available for approprintion after allowing for the interim dividend of 50 cents per share paid in August amounting to \$325,000 is \$638,011.04. Your concert audiences, Queen's Hall, At no time will the structural Directors recommend the payment famous auditorium, may be turnside the old walls, which are to 000, and that the balance of \$248,- gert halls is not general in Lonbe kept standing and cleaned to 011.04 be carried forward. This don, however. match the white stone of the last figure is \$22,390.10 more than brought forward from the pre-

vious year. I do not think there is anything of Birmingham from 1918 till his more that calls for comment and defeat in the last election, has I now beg to propose "That the resigned the position of prospec-Report of the Directors and Statement of Accounts for the year division. ended 31st December, 1926, are hereby adopted as presented and that a final dividend for the year frost, women began to assemble at the rate of 60 cents per share outside a Leeds shop 'at eleven recommended by the Directors be c'clock on a recent Wednesday and is hereby sanctioned." When I ight to secure sale bargains when this has been seconded I shall be the shop opened at 9.30 in the pleased to answer to the best of morning.

CHAR! my ability any questions which shareholders may wish to ask.

Mr. Frank Austin seconding. said he was sure he was voicing the feeling of the whole of the shareholders in congratulating the Board of Directors, the General Manager and the staff on the very excellent results of last year's working.

The report and accounts were unanimously adopted.

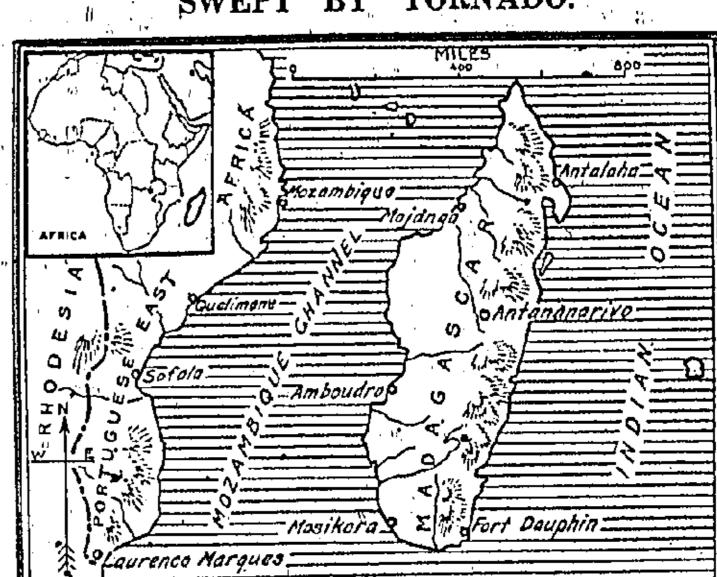
Other Business. Mr. F. M. Crawford proposed, and Mr. O. Kitchell seconded, that the appointment of the Hon. Mr. A. O. Lang to the Board of Directors be confirmed and that the retiring directors, Sir Robert Ho Tung and Mr. A. H. Compton, be re-elected. This was carried. Messrs. Lowe, Bingham and latthews were re-elected auditors for the ensuing year at a remuneration of \$1,500, on the proposition of Mr. Lo Man-hin. seconded by Mr. G. W. Sewell. There was no other business:

Because of the falling off in

Sir Herbert Austin, who represented the King's Norton division tive Unionist candidate for the

In spite, of three degrees of

SWEPT BY TORNADO.



Telegrams received over the week-end reported that the east coast of Madagascar had been swept by a cyclone. Five hundred people have been killed and the harbour and town of Tamatave (on the coast just north of the word

POST OFFICE NOTICE

"Antananarivo" on above map) have been wrecked.

INWARD MAILS. Shanghai March 7. Manila March 8. Canada, U.S.A., Japan and Shanghai Empress of Canada "OUTWARD MAILS. Shanghai and Europe via Siberia

(letter and Post Cards specially

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Saigon

Shanghai Mon., Mar. 7, 5 p.m. Japan St. Albans .. Tues., Mar. 8, 10.30 a.m. Swatow, Amoy and Foochow Haihong Tues., Mar. 8, noon Shanghai, Japan, *Canada, U.S.A., C. and S. America and *Europe via Victoria, B.C. Pres. Lincoln Tues., Mar. 8, Parcels 3 p.m. Registration .. 4.15 p.m.

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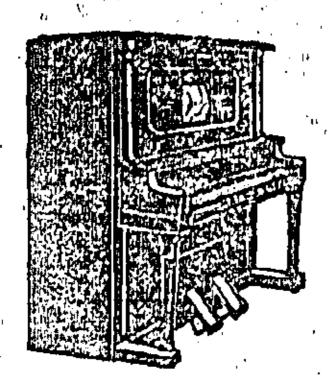
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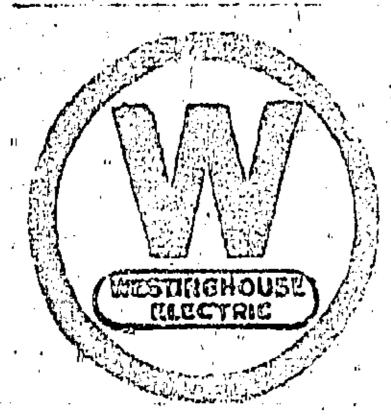
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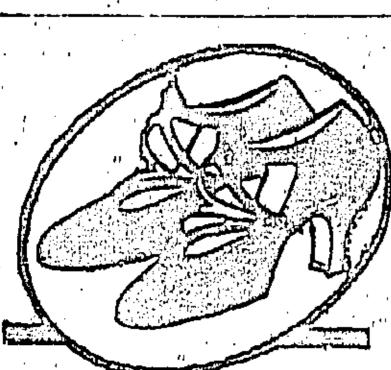
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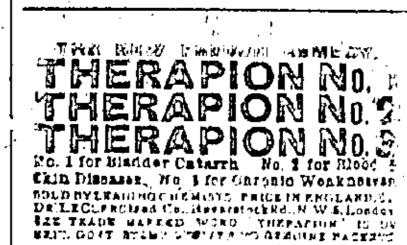
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MINE DISASTERS.

FUNDS FOR VICTIMS "FAMILIES.

London, March 5. Mayor of London for the relief of their equivalent.

of £100 and the Queen of £50. also opened a fund, has received are at present located in middle in one day £10,000, a large pro- eastern theatres. Six squadrons portion of which is in shillings and continue to be maintained in India. sixpences.—British Wireless.

AIR ESTIMATES.

PREPARATION FOR A FAR EAST SERVICE.

London, March 5. The Air Estimates amount to £15,550,000—n reduction

The personnel will be 33,000 compared with 35,500.

Air expenditure in the Middle East is reduced by £680,000 due. to the diminution of the air garri-

son at Iraq from eight squadrons

to five.

On the other hand the fleet air demands an additional £201,000 to raise the strength from 18 to 23 flights, representing a development in accordance with the Admiralty's aircraft carriers programme, the net increase in the air force being approximately. six squadrons .- Reuter.

For East Service.

The memorandum accompanying the Air Estimates refers to the preparations progressing for a long-distance flight with flying boats with the object of developing a service air route between [India and the Far East.

It states that boats will be provided in 1927 with the intention of making an extensive cruise in 1928 as a self-contained unit in Far Eastern waters, finally visiting Australian ports. A survey of the route is at present being carried out by a ground party.-

The Air Estimates, include £83,000 towards the provision of 23 Epic peem. aerodrome facilities at Singapore. 24

Sixty-Three Squadrons.

---Reuter.

· London, Mar. 5. The net Air Estimates for the conting year total £15,550,000 com pared with £16,000,000 for the current year. In a memorandum accompanying the estimates, it is stated that operational units now maintained are equivalent to sixtythree squadrons, of which fifty-six 'are on a regular basis.

Two new non-regular squadrons -none special reserve, and one au- 53 Indian envolvy soldier. xiliary Air Force---have been formed and the Home Defence Force 57 South American day labourers. has also meen increased by the addition of one rogular squadron, 60 Raiment. which becomes available through 62 Musical compositions designed the reduction in the Imperial Garrison in trag.

The Home Defence Force now consists of 28 squadrons, including seven on non-regular basis. More than half the original programme of 52 squadrons has thus been completed.

It is intended to form two new regular squadrons for Home Defence during the financial year of 1927. In addition one new nonregular squadron will be formed.

The Courageous.

Provision is made for five new figures equivalent to two and a half squadrons for the fleet air arm. These are required for complement of aircraft for H. M. S. Courageous, which is due to commission as an giréraft carrier in course of the financial year.

The strength of the fleet air arm will thereby be faised from eighteen to twenty-three flights, equivalent to about eleven and a half squa-

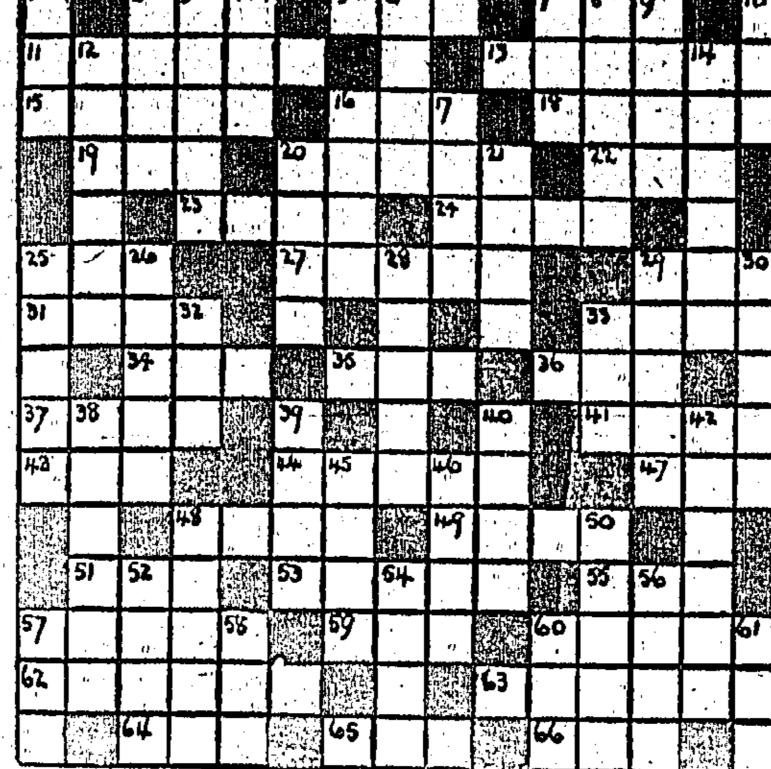
One new squadron will also commence to form for army co-operation at Home in addition to four equadrons already provided. This is called for by development of Catterick as an army training centre

Increased Strength.

It will athus she seen that it is prepared in all to increase the strength of the Royal Air Force during the year by the addition of The fund opened by the Lord approximately six squadrons or

families of miners killed in the | As a consequence of the settlemine disasters at Cwm and Bils- ment of the northern boundary thorpe has, in one day, reached question and of the progress in the the sum of about £6,000. His development of Iraq, the Army air Majesty the King sent a donation garrison in Iraq is being reduced from eight squadrons to five. In The Miners' Federation, which all eleven and one third squadrons -British Wireless.

CROSSWORD PUZZLE.



2 Cry of a sheep, 5 Often, Donkey, Eastern country. 15 · Waterway, 18 Kind of duck. . Favourite, Sheets of glass. Bird's beak. Wooden pin.

27 Ecclesiastical vestment. 29 At stern of ship, Musical instrument. Gained" as victor. 35 Kind of ox. 36 Favourile theory. 37 American 'coin. Chief.

Possesses. Riddle, 🐣 Part of a fish. 48 Dam across a stream, 49 Obtain by labour. 51 Alkaline solution. 55 Screery practised by negroes,

63 Unsound in mind. 64 Royal Scottish Academy (abb.)

66 Turn and scatter: 1.100,000 Rupees. 2 Ruin. Diminish.

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Saturday's Puzzle.

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SEAPLANE MYSTERY.

MACHINE FOUND BUT AIRMEN MISSING.

Paris, March 5. A message from Agadir says that the scaplane, of the Uruguayan airmen, Major . Larre Borges and his brother, has been found sixty miles North East of the Juby in Spanish West Africa.

Seized By Tribesmen. Casablaneae March 6.

The scaplane of the Uruguayan airman Major Larre Borges, who, with several companions Rome on February 20, to fly to America, was found smashed to pieces sixty miles North East of Cape Juby, in here by commercial shipping Spanish West Africa. There is houses, many ships unchored in no trace of the airmen. Moorish Tamatave harbour have been lost. tribes in the neighbourhood are No official information has hitherstill in revolt. Apparently the to been received .-- Reuter. airmen alighted on the sea owing to a breakdown, sought refuge on a beach and came to grief in crossing the bar of the river.—Reuter. Lloyd's from the steamer General

by tribesmen.—Reuter.

DEVASTATED BY CYCLONE.

A MADAGASCAR DISASTER.

Capetown, Mar. 5.

It is reported from Port Louis, Mauritius, that five hundred people have been killed in a yclone at Tamatave, Madagascar. The cyclone struck the east side of the island, and devastated Tamatave. The steamers Catinat and Ville de Marseilles collided and were driven ashore .- Reuter.

Paris, Mar. 5.

According to reports received

London, Mar. 5.

A wireless message received by Madrid, March 6. Duchesne, via Mauritius, "states A message from Las Palmas that the damage in the Madagassays a native has reported that car cyclone amounts to over 100,-Larre Borges and three others 1000,000 francs. The town and are unhurt but have been seized harbour of Tamatave are completely wrecked.—Reuter.

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me into a deplorable state of was then thought to be dropsical. health, something seemed to have I could get no relief, or in any, gone wrong, and I was bad for way reduce the swellings, or get years after. The health functions | rid of many other unpleasant of nature were entirely interrupt- symptoms I had, until I was finaled, and I seemed to be getting by advised to try Dr. Williams' worse, in spite of the best of Pink Pills. After I had taken a treatment. I became extremely few boltles of the pills I felt much, nervous, and had little or no ap- relieved; the swellings began to petite; then I began to have swell- | go down until they disappeared alings all ever my body, and suffer- together. I always recommend ed much pain. If I pressed my Dr. Williams' Pink Pills to ladies fingers into the fleshy parts of mly I hear of suffering from any limbs the dents remained for a feminine ailment, as I consider long time looking ugly and white, they are a boon to us women."

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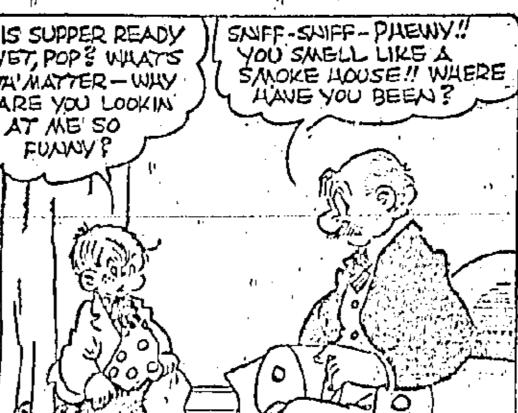












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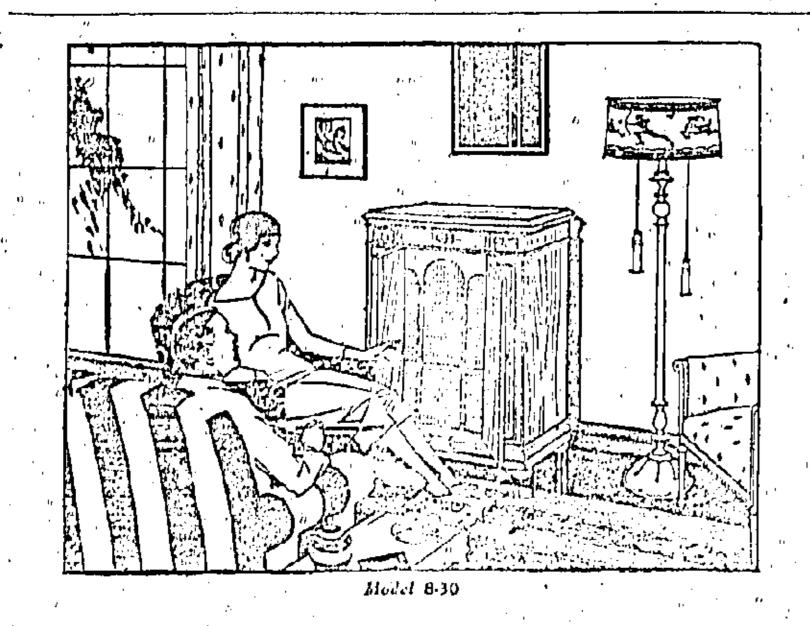
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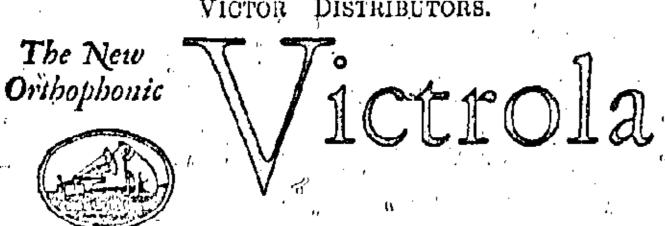
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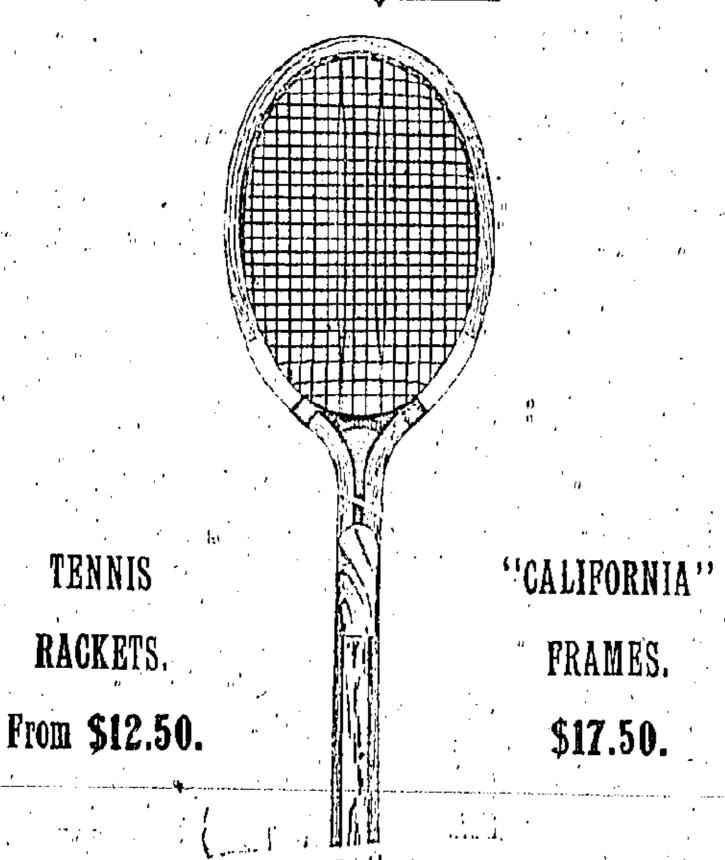
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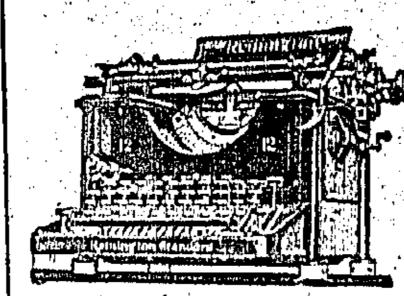


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TRADE BARRIERS.

In two months' time there is to be held in Geneva one of the most important gatherings ever to be held under the auspices of the League of Nations-a World Economic Conference. One of the main purposes of that conference will be to see whether uniform action cannot be taken to break down the great trade, barriers that exist around the various countries of the world -barriers of customs tariffs and such like hindering obstacles to the free interchange of trader In connection with this project, a very ished of the value and appeal tion. of nomenclature. When there is an appeal to "remove trade barriers" even the 'Conservative President of the Board of Trade, Sir Cunliffe Lister, hustens to support it, though he must find great dilliculty in squaring such action with his earlier support of the Safeguarding of Industries Act-an Act which authorised the erection of some of the barriers which will ultimately have to be removed. I is doubtless a fine thing to "safeguard industries and it is also doubtless a fine thing to "remove trade barriers" but the Conservative mind fails, apparently, to see anything illogical in the support of both. But we are not concerned with that at the moment, but more with the actual possibilities

of the Conference when it is held. Everybody realises that in international movements, progress is necessarily slow and it is equally true that the task of getting commercial opinion in any one country thoroughly in support of such a project as the Economic Conference is one which cannot be completed in a day. The first great task is body's mind and a big step in this direction was taken, so far as Briat a meeting held in London on the Committee of the International Chamber of Commerce. The meeting was attended by representatives of the principal trade associations and Chambers of Commerce and it was convened for the purpose of considering the questions which formed when cases occur. are to arise at Geneval In the official invitations it was stated; that "the preparatory work for the

been long and hiduous and has been in the hands of a few experts.... It is felt, however, that an opportunity should be given for all bodies to consider the matters and to express opinions so that those who are to represent Britain will be thoroughly equipped with the point of view of British trade and industry." The meeting did not produce very much more than general ideas and British policy at the Conference has not yet been finally moulded, but there was much | reported. encouraging support forthcoming from men of all shades of political opinion. . The main points, of a Trade Barriers Report, produced by the International Chamber of Commerce (with the help of twenty-two. sub-committees) were submitted, these including proposals to mitigate the restrictive effects of laws concerning the treatment of foreigners, regulations regarding observation station at Pratas passports, and prohibitions of imports and exports. The report comdemned State shipping and, indeed, all State trading. It also condemned flag discrimination, and, most important of all, as regards Customs tariffs the report frankly faced the fact that excessive tariffs could only be detrimental to world restoration. Governmental control of the prices of raw materials was also condemned. If has to be admitted that on questions of Customs tariffs there is much debatable ground, but, as was stated by one able speaker at the meeting, the aim of the International Chamber of Commerce and the object of the World Economic Conference is to influence world opinion in the hope that the manufacturers and traders of all countries will come to recognise that the free flow of trade is not only desirable but that foreign trade is an essential part of world prosperity, and that tariffs must be adjusted accordingly. For ourselves, we think that is a very worthy educational ideal and shall hope to see the Geneva Conference striking illustration has been furn- register a big gain in this direc-

The Small-Pox Outreak.

It is, happily, many years since

Hongkong was visited by a really small-pox epidemic, and it is gratifying to feel withe present outbreak so far onot assumed serious dimensions. As was emphasised in the article on the subject which we printed on Saturday, the public can do much to cooperate with the authorities in the work of preventing the spread of such diseases. Of prime importance is the early notification of eases as they occur, but, unfortunntely, amongst the Chinese communify are to be found many who far from assisting this manner, are at special pains to conceal cases which they have knowledge. Despite all that has been done to convince the masses of the value of prompt treatment, there is still a good deal of prejudice and ignorance prevailing on the subject, and thus it comes about that numerous instances occur in which bodies of those who have died from smallpox are dumped into the streetsometimes for fear of prosecution at not having reported the case, and at others in order to save the funeral expenses. The point that needs special emphasising at the moment is that this failure to take the authorities into confidence tion is one of the best ways of assisting towards in its suppression. The question of cost of treattain is concerned, a few weeks ago ment is not one with which the Chinese need concern themselves, because there are ample facilities invitation of the British National provided by the Government free of all charge. It is in the interests entertainment at the Recreation masses of the danger to themselves of not keeping health officials inpresent would seem to be a most suitable opportunity for conduct-

DAY BY DAY.

REAL LIFE IS TRUER THAN ANY BOOK DARES TO BE, AND MUCH MORE AMUSING .- Louise Kenny.

The P. & O. s.s. Morea, from Hongkong, arrived at Marsellles on 4th March at 6.30 a.m.

The B. I. s.s. Shirala is due to leave Amoy this evening and is expected here to-morrow afternoon.

During the week-end there was one Chinese case of small-pox, and one British case of typhoid fever

The Royal Observatory's weather forecast up till noon to-morrow is: "East winds, fresh, moderating; overcast, rain and fog later." Mr. G. H. Piercy was a passen-

ger for Australia by the Tanda

Other travellers were Lt.-Col. and Mrs. Lewer, Rev. and Mrs. F. W. Faucett. Mr. Shaw Lien-ping and Mr. Carried forward . Chi Sung-woo, of the staff of the

sident Grant: "Among the passengers who left for Shanghai yesterday by Siberia Maru were Mr. Haimovitch and Mr. Sokoloff, returning

north after the races.

Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Sutterle, of Shanghai, and Mr. R.-J. Tozer, General Agent in the Orient for the Northern Pacific Railway, are passing through to Manila by the s.s. President Grant.

s.s. President Grant. "He is sur- re-election. veyor for Lloyd's Agent at Kobe. Also arriving by the same boat were Mr. R. C. Burdin and Mr. C. B. Shank.

During the twenty-four hours ending at nine o'clock this morning 23 vessels arrived in port, twelve, of which were British. Departure figures were identical with the arrivals. The total number of |vessels"in port was 65.

Before Lieut, Commander G. F. hall of \$15 was estreated.

to be removed to the Kowloon Hospital, yesterday. The car, belonging to Mr. Tregillus, was at the time being driven by the owner.

While iron plates were being unloaded from the s.s. City of Bath, at Holt's Wharf yesterday, a chain broke, and a plate fell and struck a cargo-coolie in the side. The man was removed to the Kwong Wah Hospital with serious injuries.

The following vessels are expectcd to be in wireles communication | pends upon the turn of events. with Hongkong today:-Daviken, Singkiang, Laisang, Minnesota, Fingal, Bintang, Cremer, Mantua, Patroclus, Kalgan, China Arrow, Antung, Siberia Maru, Samarang Maru and Kaijo Maru.

Ernest Trevor appeared on remand before Major C. Willson this morning on charges of larceny of property of two European residents of the Glenealy Hotel. Defendant reiterated that he merely retained the articles as security for sums owed him. Major Willson remanded the case until to-mororw morn-

Under rifle fire for several hours, from Bias Bay and returned to Hongkong unscathed. The junk left Ping Chau (Mirs Bay), about a month ago, and after a few days' ikely to be responsible sailing was chased by another boat. dis- The junk kept on her course and succeeded in getting away and returned to Hongkong on Saturday. to make a report of the occurrence.

The concert party of the China | troubles. Light and Power Co. gave its first of everybody concerned that the Club on Saturday evening, presentpublic should work hand-in-hand ing an excellent programme. The with the authorities in this matter, lartistes were Mrs. W. Robson, Misa and we hope that every possible L. Tollan, and Messrs. A. B. Clemo, means will be taken to acquaint the J. H. Shaw, J. Grenham, F. Clemo, J. Davidson, and V. C. Labrum. An entertaining sketch ontitled "Rappings" was also given, the characters being taken by Mrs. F. C. Clemo, Mrs. W. Robson, Mrs. J. H. Shaw, Miss A. Tollan, Mr. ing widespread propaganda on the F C. Clemo and Mr. C. B. Easter-

BANK OF CANTON.

LAST YEAR'S PROFIT.

The report of the Directors of the Bank of Canton, Ltd., for the year ending 31st December, 1926, is as follows:

The profit for the period, including \$18,733.12 balance brough forward from last account an after paying all charges and writing off bad and doubtful debts, amount to \$1,233,598.26 for appropriation which it is proposed to, deal with as follows:---

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Island, arrived here by the s.s. Pre-

of Association, Messrs. Li Po lity to recover the banana in the Kwai, Ng Yew Ting, Chan Fu same way. Having given the de-Cheung, Lam Woo, Choy Siu Woon, | monstration, as he thought, sufficiand Woon Tong retire from the ently often, he placed the stick Board, but being eligible for re- on the table and retired to observe election, offer themselves accord. What the monkey would do. ingly. Messrs, Ng Chook Chuen and Cheng Yuet Po, our Inspectors of Accounts for the past year, now | more intelligence than he was given retire, but offer themselves for credit for. Directly the coast was re-election.

by Messrs. Percy Smith, Seth & tube on end, shook it, and the Fleming, who were our Auditors | banana tumbled out. The monkey Captain F. H. Feg.in, accompani- for the past year, and they now then calmly proceeded to peel and ed by his wife, arrived here by the | retire, but offer themselves for | cat it with evident satisfaction.

YARN MARKET.

A FIRMER TONE.

Messrs. Polishwalla and Kot wall, in their yarn report, state: Since our last report on 10th it necessary. January, our yarn market, during the first part of the interval, had remained very quiet, but latterly Hole, at the Marine Court this owing to telegraphic advices from morning, the master of a trading Bombay of a substantial advance junk was summoned for failing to | in the rates of all counts, due to exhibit regulation lights. The de- local and up-country demand, coufendant failed to appear and his pled with the critical police verified the address and situation and civil unrest at found it to be false. Shanghai, which has greatly affect-Through being knocked down by ed Shanghai mills, the foreign a car in Kowloon, a nine-year-old holders are holding out their my wife died this woman lodger of Chinese girl was injured and had stocks for higher prices and a de- mine said the wrong one had died, cidedly firmer tone has prevailed in our market. "

market, business has been done in about 600 bales in a few choice chops at an advance of \$4/5 per a premium to all possessing those

Unsold stocks, 14,000 bales; bargains in Chinese hands, 11,000 excellent stimulus for the Misses

Shanghai:-Under the most abnormal and unsettled conditions in Shanghai, entire business is greatly demoralised and the tendency of the market wholly de-

Japanese yarn:—Only a small Ouderkerk, Mausang, Honghwa, business has passed during the interval, as prices in Japan are about \$5 higher than the ruling rates of our market.

> Raw cotton.-No Stock. Quotations:-Bengal \$45 to \$48 per picul; Chinese \$47 to \$50 per

CANTON POLICE.

CHIEF TO REMAIN AT POST.

According to Chinese reports, General Tang Yin-wah, the Canton | Henry VIII. and the Pope, one Chief of Police, who recently ten- student concluded:-"England was fishing junk managed to escape dered his resignation owing freed from the ecclesiastical jokes to opposition given by labour of the Pope." extremists, has now decided to

carry on in his office. This change of attitude is said to as being in favour of law providbe due to General Tang having re- ing for taking away the licence to get the vital facts into every- ease," whereas prompt notifica- was fired on from the pursuing ceived a telegram from General from drivers of motor vehicles Chang Kai-shek in which General, found drunk for a period of one some hours, but the fishing boat Tang was strongly urged to re- year.—South Dakota Paper. General Chang assured general Tang that he would give. the Police Commissioner strong backing in dealing with labour

> Advices from Canton state that armed fighting between workmen of the different Labour Unions is still reported daily. The branch of the Political Council last week instructed the Police Department to take drastic measures to stop all such fighting, and at the same time wrote to General Chien Tal-chun, the Garrison Commander, to enforce the rule that labour fig. iters should be arrested for banishment and their premises confiscated.

The Very Idea!

Junior Partner:-"Are you going out any where special on Sunday evening, Miss Blank?"

Miss Blank, hopefully-"No." Junior Partner:- "Well, in that ease perhaps you can manage to be at the office punctually on Monday morning, for a change!"

He had his tooth yanked out because

It pained enough to kill. But, lo, he got another pain When doc sent in the bill.

An amusing story is going the rounds in Berlin of an interesting experiment conducted by a professor at a psychological clinic to test the intelligence of animals. Ha took a monkey as the object of the

Placing a metal tube on a table in front of the ape he inserted a banana in the tube, which he pulled out with the aid of a hooked stick. He repeated this twenty ir thirty times, desirous of ascertaining whether the animal possessed In accordance with the Articles | sufficient intelligence and educabi-

To the professor's chagrin the monkey showed that he possessed clear the animal hopped on the table The accounts have been audited and, ignoring the stick, lifted the

> East Ham husband: I was told "was, extravagant before -I married, but now I-know what it is to

Solicitor at Bow, (to a man accused of ill-treating his wife): On some 'occasions you have struck her?—The man: Some people would think it_cruel, others would think

Man at Tottenham: I had only seven half-pints of beer. Solicitor: That's a lot, isn't it? What is your eapacity?—Two gallons.

Witness at Nottingham: The

Walthamstow landlord:

There are so many Andersons " There being enquiry for Yunnan and Peterson in Stockholm, say the Swedish postal authorities, that it would pay the Government to offer names to change them to something else. This would seem to be an Anderson and Peterson.

> 'A 'few more "howlers" from school examination papers:---"The Saxons were a lazy and

glutinous race." "Wordsworth saw in the French Revolution a new error of happi-

"The Magna Carta occurred in the reign of King John. barons compelled 'him to sing it."

"Lack of indiscretion was Stephen's greatest personal enemy." "Altho Henry was not outwardly offended with Cromwell, after he had made him a baronet he sent him to the block for being a hui-

sance." "Wolsey was a great, daring and bold warrior. Some of his chief victories were the capture of Quebec, the battle of Waterloo, and the battle of Trafalgar Square."

After telling of the clash between

The association went on record

Miss Grace Rose, a Brighton elecutionist, gave a non-stop recital lasting two hours, which produced £50 for a local charity.

The Chin Woo Athletic Association celebrated the anniversary of its foundation on Saturday. The proceedings opened at the Kno Yua Fong Theatre when speeches were made and toa and cakes served to the gathering. A concert and gymnastic exhibition were later given in the Tai Ping Theatre to a large and appreciative audience. similar programme was carried out at the same theatre last night.

MEDITERRANEAN "BATTLE."

VIVID DESCRIPTION OF NAVAL EXERCISES.

London, March 6. Reuter's special correspondent aboard H.M.S. Repulse gives a vivid picture of the battle in the Mediterranean between the "Blue" and "Red" fleets under Sir Roger Keyes and Sir Henry Oliver respectively, each comprising seven battleships and battle cruisers, one alreraft carrier, ten] cruisers, and a number of

destroyers. Hostilities opened by a "Blue acroplane flying over the "Red" aircraft carrier Furious, and then retiring, pursued by three "Red" aeroplaness Gas masks were then donned transforming the sailors into dog-headed demons, and a three-hour engagement followed consisting of a maze of tactical evolutions over a vast areas the sen, swarming with darting light craft between the dim silhouettes of the capital ships. The issue of the fight is unknown pending the 2,000,000, decision of the umpires.

Night operations followed in which a force consisting of the Repulse, Furious, five emisers, three deslroyer flotillas and three aubmarines fought delaying action against a vastly superior "Red" torce consisting of the remainder of the combined fleets approaching the Straits, of Gibraltar from the East., A ships were darkened only their searchlights, representing gunfire,

SMUGGLED WINE.

relieving the gloom.-Renter.

HINESE FINED ON TWO: CHARGES.

Giving evidence against a man charged with smuggling dutiable Chinese wine on the waterfront, a Chinese" constable, at the Police Court this morning, admitted that he could not overcome the man's real stringe, and a woman-searcher had to be asked to help.

Thère was also a second charge against the defendant, arising from his action in breaking the jar of wine. The Court saw in this an attempt to destroy important evidence, and sufficient parts of the jar were collected and exhibited in Court to provethe attempt; On this charge, a fine of \$10, or one week's hard labour," was imposed: On the major count, a fine of \$20, or two weeks, was inflicted. The case was heard before Major C. Will-

DOG BITES.

TWO WEEK-END REPORTS.

Private Borle, of the K.O.S.B., was bitten during the week-end by a dog belonging to Sergeant Major Templet, of the same Regiment. Priyate Borle is undergoing treatment, while the annual thas been removed to the depot at Kenedy Town.

[9] A chow dog which had bitten a Chinese at Hollywood Road, was also taken to Kennedy Town.

BANDITS ACTIVE,

MANY VILLAGES LOOTED.

The looting of several villages to more than Pesos 1,100,000. by these bandits has been reported to the Canton authorities who firms were: the Poizat Bodega on have now ordered the Division un- Calle Barraca, insured for Pesos der General Chan Chang-po to have | 600,000; the Azcarraga fire, for the gang suppressed.

LEAGUE OF NATIONS.

MEETING OF THE COUNCIL

London, March 6. Sir Austen Chamberlain arrived at Geneva this morning to attend the meeting of the Council of the of Nations, which to-morrow, and the first time German, Dr. Streesemann, will preside. British Wireless.

TO-DAY.

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MANILA FIRE.

LATEST ESTIMATES OF DAMAGE.

INSURANCE DETAILS.

Approximately Pesos 976,500 the damage caused by fire on Escolta and Calle David in Manila recently, was covered by insurance companies represented in Manila, This figure is the result of a semi-"official survey completed by the secret service and the Manila fire! department. It does not include the ingurance covering damage to the Heacock building, estimated about Pesos 10,000, or the destruction of motion picture films in the vaults of the Lyric Film Exchange, said to be worth Pesos 175,000. These items are covered by Lloyd's of London.

Much of the loss was not covered by insurance and the dama; estimated at Pesos

Some Details.

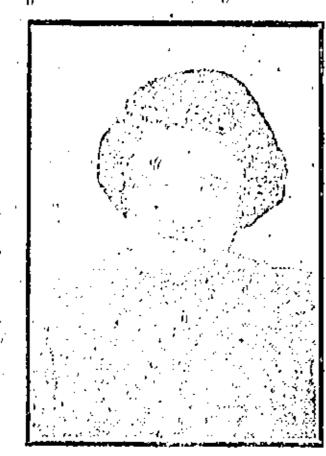
Gabriel Brothers, importers, carried the most insurance of the firms hit. They carried policies on their stock, totalling Pesos 328,500. The building which they occupied was insured for Pesos

The Samanillo building, housing the 12 business houses destroyed the Escolta, was insured for Pesos 190,000.

Insurance policies aggregating Pesos 160,000 were carried by the Riu Hermanos, Manila Harness Store. Frank and Company was insured for Pesos 130,000.

. The fixtures and stock of the Lyric Music House, together with the office equipment of the Lyric

MRS. BORODIN.



Above is Mrs. Borodin, wife of the Soviet adviser to the Nationalist Government? She was aboard a Russian steamer recently detained at Nanking by the Northern troops and has been sent under escort to Tsinan,

Film Exchange, was covered by | loon policies which totalled Pesos

Other Firms Covered,

Other firms, carried the following insurance: La Urbana, Peso? 5,000; The Balduz Music House, Pesos 10:000; Agencia Editorial, Ins., Pesos 5,000; Ed. Perrenoud, Pesos 5,000; and the Ylaya Music store, Pesos 10,000.

Losses covered by local insurance representatives in the last holds, of Bastwick-street, Clerkenthree months total more than Pesos 4,000,000. The cargo on the freighter Elkton, thought to have sunk between the islands of Yap The notorious bandit gang un- and Guam, amounted approximate der Hsu Tung-hoi is scriously ly to Pesos 2,000,000 and was at menacing peace and order in the covered locally. The total insur-Youngkong and Youngchun dis- ance on property burned and damaged by the fire will amount

> Other large losses stood by local Pesos 100,000; and Pesos 200,000 to various firms and individuals in Luke's, Old-street, was sent for the Calle Dagupan, Tondo, fire.

Total Income.

The total 1925 income of local could not legally conduct the marinsurance policies was but Pesos | riage. 5,600,000. This is barely Pesos 1,600,000 more than the amounts paid out within the last three vicar and took the bridal party to

about Pesos 12,000,000 or for about half-past two and married approximately Pesos 1,500,000 for the young couple. each block. Mr. O. L. Vanderford, chief of the Manila fire Mail reporter: "It was all my department, states that most of the fault. I forgot all about the wedbuildings were poor fire risks, but ding owing to ill-health and also that nothing could be done until on account of the bad health of they are replaced by fireproof my wife. The bishop has given structures. He also stated that me permission to live out of Lonthe few fireproof buildings now on don, and when the telegram arthe Escolta are a great factor in rived I caught the first train and keeping the entire street from arrived fortunately in time to conbeing destroyed by fire.

QUEEN'S THEATRE.

VARIED AND ENTERTAINING PROGRAMME,

Yesterday's change of programme at the Queen's Theatre drew crowded houses, and we can assure those who attend to-day that they will be rewarded with most entertaining and varied oll of fare.

The programme opens with a lengthy news reel, for the various items in which the orchestra provides appropriate music, and this followed by a screamingly funny Mack Sennet comedy, "entitled "The Plumber." Then, before the main picture, further variety is provided by Signor Bonavita, of the Italian Opera Company, who renders two popular operatic airs in excellent style. He has a fine tenor voice and met with a most enthusiastic reception yesterday.

"Exchange of Wives," a Metro-Goldwyn production, is the principal film. It is a lightly-told, tale, with a pointed moral. young husband who finds his newly-wed wife more concerned with the practical side of life than with "billing and cooing," turns to his neighbour's wife, who is of the demonstrative type, "for consolation, but, as the result of a clever experiment devised by his spouse, he is eventually disillusioned and comes to appreciate her at her true worth. The other couple, too, learn a useful lesson. To tell the story in detail would detract from the pleasure of those who intend seeing the film; suffice it to say that there is plenty of humour and not a little sound philosophy in the story. Four stars maintain the piece-Eleanor Boardman, Rence Adoree, Lew Cody and Creighton Hale. They could not be bettered in the parts to which they are allotted. Married couples! should make a point of seeing "Exchange of Wives." It is show. ing for the last time to-day.

STAR THEATRE.

CHARLES MURRAY IN "CLASSIFIED."

Twenty years in one act in vaudeville, ten "years in slapstick sereen comedies-and now Charles Murray is taking a well-deserved rest in feature films of the highest dramatic standard, and, incidentally, doing the best work of his career, according to novie commentators.

Murray's assumption of the mantle of authentic characterization dates back from his appearance with Mary Philbin in "Rose of Paris," but his vogue since then has become so great that he thas appeared in fully twelve major screen productions up to the present date.

He will be seen in the Corinne Griffith offering, "Classified," now showing at the Star Theatre, Kow-

BRIDE'S 3-HOUR WAIT.

VICAR FORGETS A WEDDING.

A wicar's lapse of memory kept a young wedding couple waiting for nearly four hours at Home the other day.

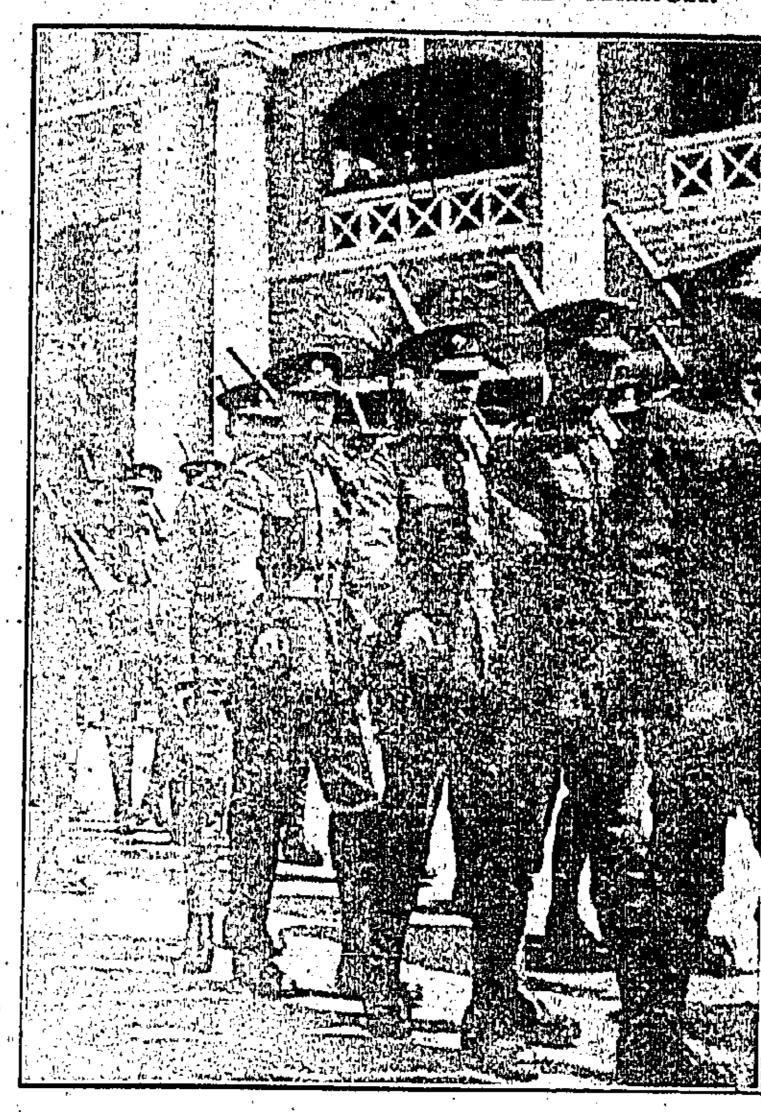
When-the bride, Miss V. Reywell, and the bridegroom, Mr. A. E. Mawbey, of Upper Tootingroad, S.W., arrived at St. Paul's Church, Pear Tree-street, Goswellroad, E.C., shortly before one o'clock they found the building locked. The best man and the bridegroom's father went in search of the vicar, and after half an hour the caretaker was found. He opened the church and explained that the vicar was living at Caterham, Surrey, about 17 miles away.

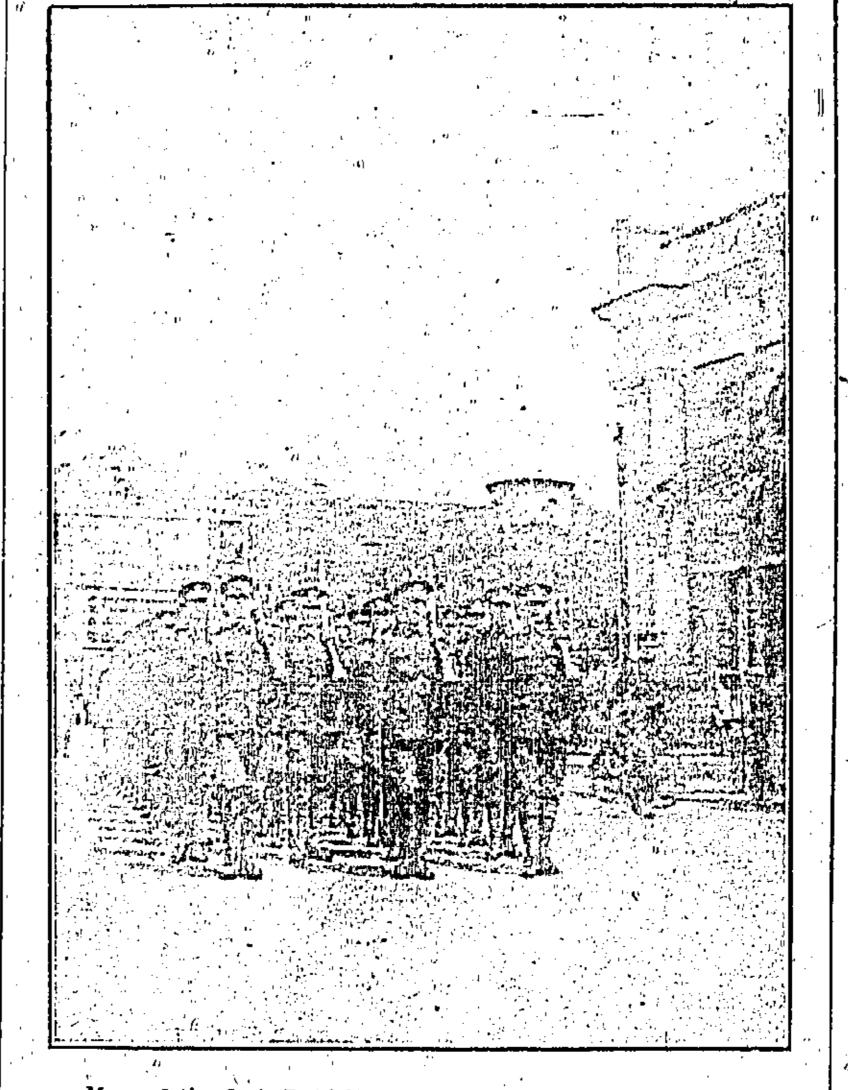
The Rev. P. D. Ellis, of St. and he hurried to the church, only to find that as the banns book had not been signed by the vicar he

Country Residence. Mr. Ellis telegraphed to the his vicarage. The vicar of St. The entire Escolta is insured for Paul's. Dr. Lewthwaite, arrived

Dr. Lewthwaite said to a Daily duct the ceremony."

COLDSTREAMS ON ROUTE MARCH.





Men of the 2nd. Battalion, Coldstream Guards (leaving for Shanghai to-day) are here seen returning from a route march in Kowloon. (Photo engravings: S. C. M. Post).

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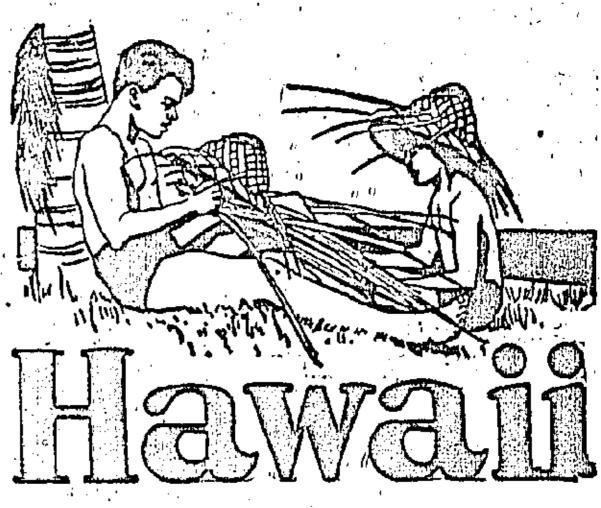
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LEAGUE TABLES.

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FRIENDLY MATCHES.

Hongkong C. Gev Kawloon C. C.

having retired with their individual

Kowloon C. C.

W. Brace, c & b Evers

E. F. Fincher, b Evers

Capt. E. W. Morris, c Hayward

W. Ramsay, c Owen Hughes,

b Parker

J. C. Lyal, c Hayward, b Evers' . .

F. Goodwin, b Evers

W. G. Guest, b Evers

W. Hyde; b Evers

S. Jex, c & b Evers

N. H. Ross, not out

Wooding did not bat.

Extras A

Bowling Analysis.

Hongkong C. C.

. W. Hayward, retired

Capt. A. N. Evers, h Lyal

H. Owen Hughes, retired

E. J. R. Mitchell, not out

H. V. Parker, run out

J. R. Hinton, b Morris

F. T. Orr, e Guest, b Goodwin . .

G. R. Vallack, b Goodwin

Extras

Bowling Analysis.

Club de Recreio Match.

employees of local banks, defeating

the "A" team (the "Rest") by 179

runs to 89. For the winners, H. M.

Xavier and D. Aives made 60 and

51 respectively. Both retired. Alves

was the most successful bowler with

CRICKET.

Kowleon C. C. v Royal Navy.

Kowloon C.C. gained a hig victory

over the Nuvy in a match on the

made with nine wickets down. .

Kowloon C. C.

W. Brace, b Sturges

J. C. Lval. b Hull

E. F. Fincher, b Sturges

A. W. Ramsey, c and b Beatty...

F. E. Lawrence, c Shaw, b Sturges

Capt. E. W. Morris, c Newall,

C. T. Evans, b Shaw !....

S. Jex. not out

H. T. Buxton, b Shaw

N. H. Ross, did not bat.

Shaw 8.5 1 Royal Navy.

F/Lt. Brewerton, st. Jex, b Lynl 32

Goodwin

Lt. Robertson, c Lawrence, b

Lt. Garrans-Williams, e Lyal, b

Surg-Com. Hull, c Jex, b Ross... Lt. Sturges, b Lyal

I.t. Dale, c Brace, b Ross

Lt. Comdr. Shaw, b Goodwin ...

Lt. Pugh, e Brace, b Fincher....

F/O. Newall, c Ramsey, b Morris

Mid. Borc. not out

Lt. Could. Beatty, b Morris

Extras

Sturges 25

Iuli 9

b Sturges Goodwin, c Dale, b Sturges...

Total" (for 9 wkts. dec.) 299

scorer with 32. Scores:

seven wickets for 48 runs,

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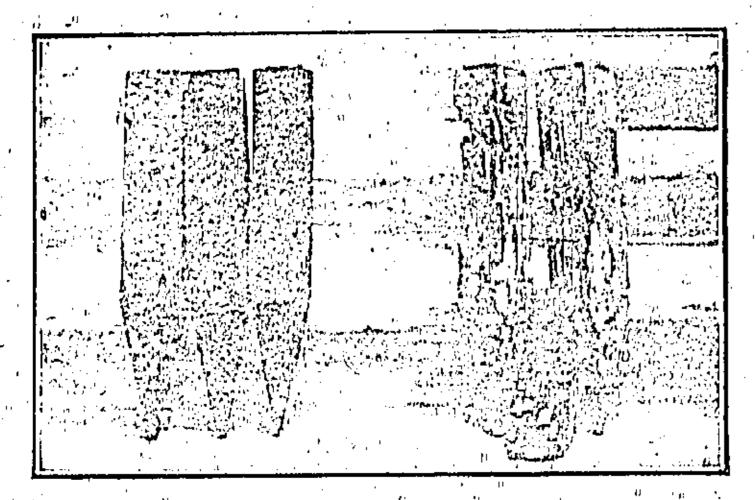
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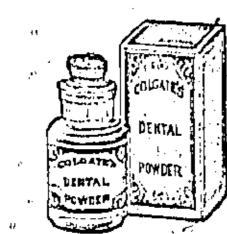
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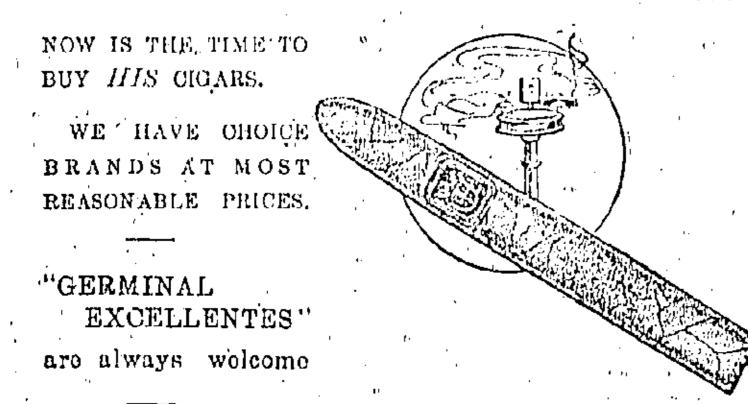
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SATURDAY'S CRICKET

I. R. C. WIN SECOND DIVISION.

The Indian Recreation Club have won the second division championship. They opposed Civil Service C. C. 2nd XI on Saturday and required either win or a draw to make their position safe.

An evenly contested match H. K. C. C.6 resulted in both sides claiming a point, thus giving the India seconds the championship. The is the second occasion on which R. E. and R. C. of S. . . 3 they have headed the second divi-

The only other League match was between the Chinese R. C. and the University. The Chinese were cheaply dismissed, and the visitors won by close upon two hundred runs. In a friendly match between the Hongkong C. C. and the Kowloon C. C., Hongkong gained a fairly easy

> DIVISION L Chinese R. C. N University.

The Chinese R. C. were at home to the University, but put up a very poor show and lost another match, Batting first, they were only able to compile 73 runs, Ching being highest scorer with 25. Rumjahn was chiefly responsible for the collapse, his seven wickets costing only

24 runs. The University passed their opponents' score with only two wickets down, and went on to play out time, scoring 270 runs. Lam, who went in towards the end," scored at a fast page for his 81 not out. Samy also exceeded the half century. Scores;

Chinese R. C. T. E. Yeoh, b Rumjahn H. C. Hung, c and b Rumjahn ... Ng Sze-kwong, b Rumjahn J. L. Youngsaye, b Rumjahn H. Ching, e F. Zimmern, b W. M. 25 H. T./Buxton, b Evers C. E. Woog, b Rumjahn Un Hew-fan, e Lam, b Lee

W. K. Cheung, st. Pensonby Fanc, b Rumjahn K. L. Chau, b Rumjahn P. S. Wong, e Samy, b W. M. Gittins C. Hung, not out

Extras Bowling Analysis.

S. V. Gittins W. M. Gittins University.

S. V. Gittins, b Ng Sze-kwong ... 39 E. A. Lee, l.b.w., b Ching F. Zimmern, c & b Ng Sze-kwong Dr. D. R. Samy, b Ng Sze-kwong W. M. Gittins, b C. E. Wong E. Zimmern, e Youngsaye, b C. E.

W. Hong Sling, b Un Hew-fan ... B. P. Ng, e & b Un Hew-fan 11 Brace4 🚰 C. W. Lani, not out Extras

Total (for 9 wkts.) 270 A. A. Rumjahn did not bat Bowling Analysis.

Ng Sze-kwong Un Hew-fan8 C. E. Wong

DIVISION H.

Indian R. C. v Civil Service C. C. The Indian R. C. 2nd eleven made the championship of the second division secure on Saturday when they succeeded in taking a point from the Civil Service. The match was played on the Civil Service ground, the visitors having first knock. They started badly, but later improved. A. K. Minu going in towards the end to score a half century and their position fairly safe. A. R. Minu was the next highest scorer

with 36. Had the Civil Service sufficient time, it is probable that they would have passed the visitors' total, for they had 115 on the board with only five men out when stumps were drawn. Nihill and Holdman both got into the twenties, the latter being

For the Civil Service, Paterson took six Indian wickets for 21 runs.

Indian R. C. 2nd XI. M. P. Madar, c Harper, b Sara . . . Hassan, c Strange, b Westlake S. Ackber, b Westlake H. D. Rumjahn, c & b Paterson... S. A. R. Ismail, b Sara A. R. Minu, b Paterson A. S. Suffiad, b Paterson A. S. Ismail, b Paterson A. K. Minu, b Paterson Sirdar Khan, b Paterson V. T. Mans, not out

Bowling Analysis. Nihill5

Civil Service C. C. 2nd XI. H. J. Harper, b Sirdar Khan ... R. S. W. Paterson, run out J. H. B. Nihill, Lb.w., b A. R. A. W. Grimmitt, c Suffad, b Rumjahn H. E. Davies, l.b.w., b A.R. Minu F. H. Holdman, not out

Total (for 5 wkts.) 115 H. J. Pearce, H. F. Westlake, T. W. Morris Carr, C. Sara did not bat.

Extras

YACHTING.

MENAGERIE RACE ON SATURDAY.

industrial and economic position over a course from the Club Rock (p), mark on Club line (p), the Club.

the boats did good time. Colleen was the first to cross the line, but had to take fifth place on corrected time, Daphne a good third. The nine competitors were,-Handl-

cap Class, Diana, Colleen; One De-14 signs, Daphne, Ailsa, Haleyon; Gael 13 Class, Gael, Thecla; Heyward Hays, Boojum, Adele.

7 cording to handleap) stated in H. K. C. C. 2nd 6 1 - 5 3 brackets.

Kowlobn suffered defeat in a Colleen (5th)4:34:01 4:26:11 monopoly. friendly on the Hongkong C. C. Diana (9th)4:34:50 4:33:16 The devel ground. Butting first, they made 140, Ailsa (2nd)4.43:26 4:24:38 of which Brace was responsible for Daphne (3rd)4:44:01 4:25:13 49. Evers did all the damage, Adele (18t)4:44:07 4:22:11 taking eight wickets for 30 runs. Haleyon (8th)4:49:49 4:31:01 When stumps were drawn, the Club | Boojum (6th)4:51:28 4:29:32 had scored 161 for the loss of seven Gael (7th)4:55:24 4:29:83 wickets, Hayward and Owen Hughes | Theela (4th) 4:55:48 4:25:15 Service" Race. scores at 71 and 55 respectively.

> Eight bonts sailed in the Services race on Saturday. (s), Channel Rocks (s), Cust Rock

In the tabulated result given be low the time is for both finishing and corrected time except where stated: in 1917 which provided for the 1st.—H. M. S. "Hermes" (Eng. Comdr., Villar 4:09:02.) 2nd.-H. M. S. "Dragon" galley (P. O. Pert) 4:23:44.

3rd,-H. M. S. "Herald" (Lt. Kennedy) 4:27:29 (finishing time was 4:38:24). 4th.-H. M. S. "Frobisher" galley (P. O. Caunter) 4:29:25. 5th.-II. M. S. "Ambrose" galley (P. O. Matthews) 4:29:40. "Titania" galley, "Hermes" whaler

Sunday's Race Postponed.

'Frobisher" cutter did not finish.

There was a good turnout yesterday morning at the Royal Hongkong Yncht Club, when the race between the Club members and ladies was to have come off. A strong / gale was blowing in the early morning and as there was also a heavy sea running, the Committee decided to postpone the morning race and hold the afternoon event only. Several members tested the sea in the morning and fe-Total (for 7 wkts.) 161 turned with the report that conditions H. C. Burgess, A. C. I. Bowker, W made good sailing impossible, if not actually dangerous.

In the afternoon the weather was very little better, and the committee had no alternative but to call the It is understood that the Con mittee will make every endeavour to hold the race as soon as possible The date will be announced in due An inter-Club match at the Club de Recreio on Saturday, resulted in the "B" team, composed entirely of

EUROPEAN IRON PACT.

GERMAN THREAT TO DISRUPT IT.

K.C.C. ground yesterday. The fea-Berlin.—The Continental iron ture of the game was the second pact, which was made just four wicket partnership between Brace and Fincher, who carried the score from months ago, is already threatened 32 to 157 before being separated. with disruption. The Germans' Brace had fourteen fours in his 92, total production is much more whilst Fincher's 73 contained eleven than the amount of the quota arboundary strokes. The home team's ranged for them in agreement with batting was consistent, 299 being on the board before the declaration was manufacturers of Belgium France, and Luxembourg, to whom The Navy never looked like saving must now be added the manufacthe game. Seven; wickets were down turers of Austria, Czecho-Slovakia for 76 and the score eventually reached 131, Brewerton being top and Hungary.

The Germans' production ex ceeded the quota assigned to thet by 9.3 per cent, in September, 12.3 per cent. in October, 20.7 per cent in November, and 25.2 per cent. in December.

In consequence the Germans have had to pay 2,690,000 dollars iffto the pooling fund, and some of them are reconsidering whether the disruption of the pact is advisable, although this would not mean that they would not attempt to renew it in the future.

years—and in certain circumstances three years-but it can be de- able still. nounced earlier if the Francobeen signed.

of this proceeding by arguing that shape of a loan granted to tain influence on the fixing of many's neighbours is impossible secured three-quarter majorities consumers may be properly proif German territory occupied by in the firms of Messrs. Stahl & tected. Another important stipuforeign troops is not evacuated.

out that the outburst was a busi- the Union A.-G., of Augsburg. lness one and not a patriotic one.

GERMAN MATCH INDUSTRY.

A typical feature of the present

RECENT DEVELOPMENTS.

by those who turned out in Satur- the structure of existing organisa reader of The Daily Mail, who tions with a view to making them states that while he was motor-Lyomun Beacon (port), Kowloon conform to modern requirements. ing, with his speedometer register-The events that have recently been | ing 26 miles an hour, a terrier in Channel Rocks (starboard), finish at going on in the German match- the road ran as fast for nearly producing industry furnish a half a mile. There was a fine N. E. breeze, and striking example of the tendency This is a very remarkable speed that lies at the root of these en- for any kind of terrier, especially deavours. The process of roor on a half- mile run," said Mr. A. Adele, which came in fifth, winning by ganisation has now come to an end | Croxton Smith, a member of the over two minutes from Ailsa, with by the formation of the Zundholzvertriebs A. G., an event that marks at the same time the term- hound. It appears to have a In the table below, the yachts are independence, and the Swedish 25 2-5sec. A first-class sprinting mentioned in order of finishing with American Match Trust. The lat- whippet will cover 200 yards in 9 the respective actual positions (ac- ter has now definitely gained a about 12sec." Roothold in Germany, and by doing | Working out these speeds, they so has made a large step forward | give a rate of: Greyhound, about

The development of the trust from a position of unimportance and insignificance to its present predominance in the international situation of the industry it controls is of unique interest and compels our admiration. Its origin goes back to the establishment of a match factory in the Swedish city of Jonkoping (1848) which The course was .- Kowloon Rock was soon followed by numerous others. After fierce struggles between the competing firms, an agreement was arrived at by them galley Svenska Tandsticks A.B., with headquarters at Stockholm. The conclusion of this agreement was largely due to the untiring efforts of Mr. Ivar Kreuger, the wellknown director general of the present trust.

The completion of this process of concentration enabled th Swedish match-producing industry To devise vigorous measures by which to extend its influence in the world's markets. By cleverly adapting its policy to the conditions created in the various countries through the war, the Swedish trust secured to itself a considerinfluence, upon producabroad. The high tarif which many counsurfounded themselves practically forced the trust to acquire existing factories or to dependent on these three concerns erect those of its own. No 'less were also brought under its in a than 42 factories have thus been fluence. In this way the trust acacquired abroad, and in some quired control, within a very short countries, e.g., Peru, Turkey, space of time, of 70% of the Ger-Greece, and Poland, the trust ob- linen production.

industrial co-operation with Ger- the latter concern. It next prices, so that the interests of the Noelke A.-G. and Deutsche Zund-The Frankfurter Zeitung has holzfabriken A.-G. (the so-called given him a severe, snub | "Kasseler Konzern"), and shortly and told him that a business man | afterwards it acquired an importshould stick to busines, pointing ant percentage of the shares of the same time the small factories I newed over production impossible.

SPEED OF DOGS.

GREYHOUND'S 35 MILES AN HOUR.

The question of the speed of Some excellent sailing was enjoyed is the desire to radically change dogs was recently raised by . .

committee of the Kennel Club.

"Our fastest dog is the greyination of the long struggle be- slight advantage over the whippet. tween the few German match fac- I have a record of a greyhound tories that had still retnined their running a quarter; of a mile in

Finishing Corrected on the road towards a world's 351/2 miles an hour; whippet, a little more than 34 miles an hour.

Foxhound's 31-P.M.H.

Mr. Croxton Smith added: Of the borzois, a fast dog no doubt we have no data, but there is a record of a match between racehorses and foxhounds over the Bencon Course on Newmarket Heath, which took place, I believe, towards the end of the 18th century, by which to judge the speed of foxhounds, at any rate as they then were.

The course was 4 miles, 1 furlong, 132 yards in length. The winning hound took 8 minutes and n few seconds, and of the 60 horses that started only 12 were able to run in with the hounds. The speed of the winning hound would be about 31 miles an hour.

The racellorse Flying Childers, in or about the year 1721, had done the same course in 7min. 30 sec., or about 1/2min. faster than the hound.

Most of my sporting friends consider that the cheetah, as used in India by the native princes to hunt the black buck, is the fastest animal living over a distance of 200 yards. The cheetah is released at its quarry when the latter is within striking distance, and goes like a streak of lightning.

turned up, were keenly disappointed, tained an actual monopoly. The The correct policy of the reenormous funds required for so | maining concerns that had saved large an enterprise were advanced their independence would have been by American and British financiers. to combine their forces against The position to-day is that the the further advance of the trust. trust controls about 50% of the Instead, however, of doing this, world's match production, so that they continued to underbid each the further development, in the other, and finally approached the direction of an all-round, mono- Government with the request to poly embracing every country | reintroduce the system of rationseems merely a question of time, ing production. But events had especially so since the German moved too fast, and the Governmatch-producing industry has now ment's economic council (Reichalso come under its influence, swirtschaftsrat), after studying . The causes which led to the pro- the problem in great detail, came sent state of the German match to the conclusion that the proindustry are-at least partly- posed measures of defence were connected with its own internal ineffective, and that the creation structure." In addition to a small of a state monopoly would also be number of large-sized concerns, liable to serious objections. Thus there, were numerous others of the only thing to do was to let medium and small size, and these matters take their natural course were equipped with obsolete ma- in the direction of a private mono. chinery so that they could scarce- poly and to ensure that proper proly be said to produce along re- vision was made for the protection munerative lines. Nevertheless, of the general public and its inthe production exceeded the de- terests. The intervention of the mand even before the war, and in Government led to the conclusion 1911 it became necessary to ration of a syndicate agreement to which the output. The regulations en- all the producers were parties. forcing such rationing were ab- All of them, with the exception of olished again in 1919 when it was the Grosseinkaufs-Genossenchaft intended to establish a state deutscher Konsumvereine, undermonopoly for the production of took to place their output at the matches, but this intention has disposal of a selling organisation never been realised. The violent in the shape of a limited company competition that set in immediate- or corporation which is to fix ly after the withdrawal of the com- prices, to arrange for the proper pulsory measures caused a situa- distribution of the output among tion that was exceedingly favour- home consumers, and to take in able to the expansion of the hand the exporting business. The Swedish trust, and as these events | capital of the company is one mil-The pact was made for five coincided with the period of infla- lion reichsmarks, one half of tion, matters became more favour- which sum represents the share of the trust, whilst the other half' The trust began to exercise a has been taken over by the Ger-German commercial treaty has not certain influence on the position man producers and the German of the German match-producing Government. The participation of Dr. Rousch, German director of industry as early as 1919/20 when the trust in the capital, therefore, 2 the Good Hope Works, and one f it sold 40,000 cases of Swedish is less than its share in the prothe most powerful of the indus- matches to German buyers, and duction it controls, which amounts, 8 trialists of Westphalia, has spoke i when it placed part of the sale as has been said to 70%. The of the possibility of denouncing price at the disposal of the All- agreement is to run for twentyit, in a speech at Duisburg. He gemeine Zundholzexport-Zentrale five years, and contains a clause sought to disguise the real motive G. m. b. H., of Hamburg, in the entitling the Government to a cer-

lation is that the Government is

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MORRIS WINS ANOTHER CHAMPIONSHIP.

DIXON CAPITULATES IN THE EIGHTH ROUND.

REYNOLDS DEFEATED.

"Wanderer."]

tractive contest. Stoker Morris won the welterweight champion-

on Saturday. 🧻 Poor as the fight proved to be, Morris is worthy of credit for two things. Within a round and a half | South China | 1 R. A. he had forced Dixon to conform to his ideas of the manner in which the fight should proceed, Dixon making but feeble protest (physi- R. A. Res. cal protest), and in the eighth round, he flashed in his right with unerring, judgment at the first real opportunity presented. Dixon never recovered from that blow and this seconds threw in the towel a round later.

That Morris's boring-in methods spoilt the bout as a spectacle cannot be gainsaid, but the fact remains that Dixon discovered no means of combatting the mode of attack, and as soon as he endeavoured to fight Morris at Morris's game, he was a beaten man.

Close Quarter Milling.

Morris played to the body, in the early rounds, always carrying the tette was Ward, the right winger. fight to close quarters, and Dixon | Cheung Wing-shing and Ko Sikwas several times cautioned for wai could do nothing to hold him, holding when Morris was equally and his centres were wonderfully the offender, if not the actual accurate. Pulford missed several transgressor. Mr. Murdoch got easy chances, and completed the inside the ring after the fourth effort by failing to net from a round and the bout brightened up | penalty award through overfor a time. Dixon scored the mar- anxiety, gin of points in the sixth, but in the seventh Morris was much the for a bad foul and a penalty was better man, and in the eighth after | awarded. Pulford twice took the more close quarter milling, he sent kick before the referee's signal, the Frobisher man to the boards | and then at the third effort placed

Dixon took a count of eight and |. For the main part the game was was sent down again, but the gong | scrappy, neither set of forwards wame to his relief. In the eighth showing aptitude in the vicinity Dixon was still groggy and Morris of goal. Ward might have felt did much as he willed, though some grievance after the match Dixon stuck to it gamely until his | that so many capital centres were seconds threw in the towel.

The winner was challenged by A. B. Ewin before the commence? ment.

Reynolds Beaten.

The defeat of Stoker Reynolds was the one surprise of the evening, though the Signalman Morris camp had been confident throughout. The bout went the full distance though Reynolds took'n knock-down blow in the second round from which he never fully, recovered.

Morris was not disconcerted by · the speed of Reynolds' initial attack, though he took some heavy blows to head and body. In the second round Morris floored his opponent with a right hook for a count of eight, and Reynolds was palpably hurt though he attacked furiously on rising.

Morris's longer reach stood him in good stead. Reynolds found difficulty in getting round a useful left hand, and Morris steadily went ahead on points after the fifth

last four rounds and there was offer, but they were very willlittle in it at the close, the verdict ing and a hard going to Morris. Morris is a match powerful youngster and likely to rounds. Gold was conceding sixgo far. I am told he is only nine- | teen pounds to the Gunner, but he teen years of age. At present he adopted the aggressive almost is a triflé slow and not always does | throughout. Ford's longer reach he follow up.

A Gruelling Scrap.

. Leading Seaman Hall and Leading Seaman Baker fought for ten rounds without the slightest relaxation, and by merit of a distinct superiority in the earlier rounds, the former gained a narrow victory after what was pro- ed out Pte. Smith (K.O.S.B.) in the bably the outstanding bout of the first round. The contestants evening.

tle warming up before he gets real- the first effective blow. ly going and it was this trait which strongly in the fifth round, and wards. mixing things freely.

as the fight were on and the men I crowd was well pleased.

SOUTH CHINA WIN.

SURPRISE DEFEAT OF ROYAL ARTILLERY.

ONLY THREE MATCHES

[By "Wanderer".]

South China increased their By "technically knocking out | Senior League points to four on Leading Seaman Dixon in the Saturday, in so doing eliminating ninth round of an entirely unat- the Royal Artillery from the struggle for the runners-up position. Only three official games were ship of the Colony at the City Hall | played owing to the races, the results being as follows;

> Senior Division. Junior Division "A." Kowloon Res. O K. O. S. B.

Player Ordered Off.

In the absence of Leach, the R.A. had no-one to force home the advantage gained by midfield superiority after the interval, with the result that the goal scored by South China in the first half decided the issue.

South China took the initiative at the outset and the speed of their attack frequently had the R.A. defence in difficulties. Tin Yak-on scored from Chi Kam-fook's centre with a fine shot.

Outstanding in the R.A. quin-

Fung Man-kat was ordered off with a terrific right to the point. I the ball wide of the uprights.

not improved upon.

The two junior games ended as anticipated, though Kowloon Reserves were better value than a 3-0 defeat by the Borderers Reserves. The game was highly interesting throughout, but Kowloon failed to improve on many opportunities. Stock (2) and Crawley scored for the Borderers.

The R.A. Reserves were much loo good for the Recrein Reserves. winning by 4-1. Milner (2) Whittington and Jobe scored for the R.A., while the Recreio orphan was secured by Roza Percira.

went at it hammer and tongs, both taking terrific punishment in 👉 rounds -Baker had the advantage in the seventh, ninth and tenth round, but he did not do enough "to deprive Hall of the credit for his early work.

A Draw.

Stoker Gold and Gunner Ford Both men fought strongly in the had liftle scientifich work to went enabled him to peg back points, though he was not punching so heavily at the naval man. There was little between them at the close and the verdict was given as

Two Knock-Outs.

Ordinary Seaman Rowles knockstarted at a pace which obviously Baker has always required a lit- could not last, and Rowles got in

Cook Hooper was sent to the enabled Hall to take the initiative | boards six times in the, first minearly and carry the fight to his op- ute of his bout with Ptc. Hume ponent. More than once Baker (K.O.S.B.) and the referee stopped was staggered by heavy blows, but the fight. Hooper was floored he can do nothing if not take with the first blow of the scrap and punishment and he was still going | was at his opponent's mercy after-

On the whole the programme Baker was gradually improving was a good one, and the large

HOME FOOTBALL.

LEAGUE RESULTS AND TABLES.

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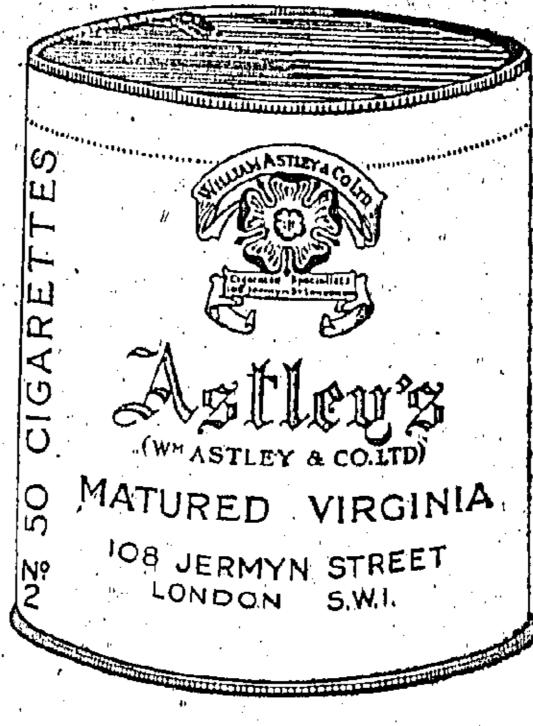
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RUGBY FOOTBALL.

DEVONS AND CLUB PLAY DRAWN GAME.

A very interesting rugby game was played on the ground of the Hongkong Football Club at Happy Valley on Saturday between a team from the 1st. Devons and the Hongkong Football Club, when the soldiers put up a very good game indeed against a fairly strong Club line-up.

At the opening of the game, the 3 45 Devons did practically all the pressing and were the first to score, an unconverted try being scored by Blight. The Club detence was steady. Later, the Club became the more aggressive and, following a scrum near the Devons' line Lammert forced himself over and scored. The kick was unsuccessful. In the second half there was no score. although the Club had the best of the play. 'Towards the close, both sides were tiring and play fell away in standard.

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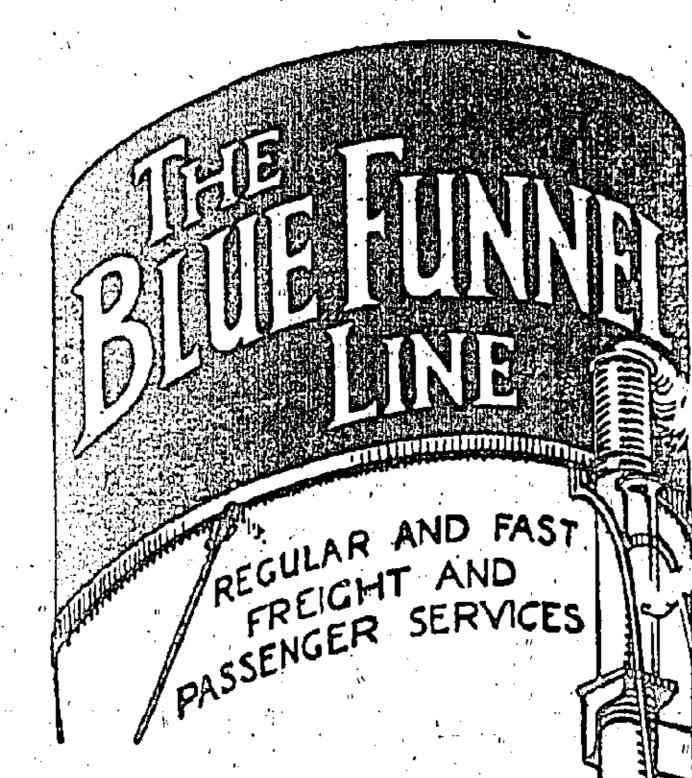
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MANTUA'S BIG PASSENGER

The holiday rush Home has commenced. The s.s. Mantua, the big P. and O. liner which sailed from Hongkong on Saturday, had its vanguard has severely beaten J. H. Saunders, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. known local residents.

He was accompanied by Mrs. Ruckle. For nearly 30 years Mr. Buckle has been in the employ of the P. and O. Company, 22 years having been spent in Hongkong. He intends to settle down in the homeland.

recipients of a number of gifts the Chinese authorities. Chinese staff gave them a warm been vacated.—Naval Wireless. send-off. A substantial cheque was given to Mr. Buckle by the European staff of the office,

Attorney General, who has recently received an appointment in
Ceylon, left, by the same boat.
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Mrs. Harston returned to the Colony on the Mantua.

ANOTHER STRIKE?

PLANS BEING PERFECTED IN SHANGHAL

Shanghai, Mar. 6.

There is no new development in the military situation. Northerners continue to strengthen their position on the Shanghai-Nanking railway. Marshal Chang Tsung-chang has arrived at Soochow, where the position continues to strengthen.

Present indications, are against the truth of the Kuomintang reports, mentioned yesterday, regarding the understanding between Chang Kai-shek and Chang Tsung-chang.

There is, however, no doubt that the political heads of the Southerners are making " an effort to "capture" Shanghai by means other than military.

Agitation is intensifying locally; and this is directed in the first, buyers. place in perfecting plans for a complete general strike, and secondly, by the seizure of arms from the Northerners, with the object of putting Shanghai under Nationalist control.

Groups of pickets are being arms. The strike is due to start in five days' time, but this is conditional on the military success against the North.

ratings have been landed, and ble .-- Router.

CHINA CRISIS.

SERIOUS SITUATION FOR NORTH.

Shanghai, Mar. 5. It is now clear that the South erners are making a big effort to reach the Shanghal-Nanking Rail-Marshal Chang Tsungchang's main line of communica- Carloton, Mrs. Charleton, two Misses

The indications so far are that are hereby notified that the cargo will their main effort is against Soochow, from which their advance guards are only twelve miles. Apparently the Southerners hope to be able to reach the railway ut some point or points between Kunshan and Wusih, res-

pectively thirty and seventy miles from Shanghai. hours of 10.45 a.m. and noon within of the Shantung forces at the

after the 10th March will be subject There is no appearance yet of and Mrs. A. C. Burford, Master E. A. any considerable movement to the westward of Tai Hu Lake.

The farthest point westwar reached by the Southerners Changshing, which almost borders on the south-west of the lake.-

Troop Movements,

Nanking, Mar. 5. Shantung troops continue to cross the river. A few have moved down the river.-Naval Wireless. Changsha, Mar. 5.

Kweichow troops are concentrating here.-Naval Wireless.

Fengtien Victory? Shanghai, March 6.

a yery heavy passenger list, in- the Honan general, Chien Yun Saunders, Mrs. A. K. Saunders, and cluding quite a number of well- -ao and captured Chungmau, an important point in Honan. Chien's One of the passengers was Mr. forces are retreating toward Kao-P. Buckle, who after a quarter of ching. Large forces of Fengtien Shewring, Mr. W. C. Smith, Capt. a century in the Far East, has troops are continually crossing M. H. Spicer, R.M., Mrs. S. Theisen, had to leave for health reasons. the Yellow river. They will first meet the Shantung troops on the Tsai Ing-ming, and infant, Mrs. M. H. Lunghai line and then attack

Chengchow. Safety of Britishers in Kiukiang.

Kiukiang, Mar., 5. The safety of British subjects Mr. and Mrs. Buckle were the ashore is not yet guaranteed by before their departure and the municipal buildings have not yet Mrs. Yap Tai-sang, and infant, Mrs.

British Vessels Fired On.

Wuhu, Mar. 5. Mr. A. Dyer Ball, the assistant Two thousand Anhwei troops Maclaine-Clarke, Mrs. J. A. Noble, Attorney General, who has re- have arrived here from Anking and infant, Mr. T. L. Noble, Miss

Anti-British Feeling at Hankow.

Hankow, Mar. 5. The Chinese authorities had to Harris, M.A.E. Martin, Mr. and be requested to remove 200 troops Mrs. C. Mycock, Mr. and Mrs. D. from the British steamer Tuckwo Peoples, Mrs. A. B. Purves, before she was allowed to sail down

> Some anti-British feeling is again apparent in the Concession. _Naval Wireless.

Mr. O'Malley Leaves.

Shanghai, Feb. 6. A message from Hankow, dated March 3, states that Mr. O'Mallcy left Hankow on the previous morning. Mr. E. Teichman, of the British Consular Service, re- Miss M., Miss F., Wandel, Miss A. mained in Hankow to attend to the Wandel, and infant, Lt. Comdr. P. E. execution of the details of the J. Walker, R. N., Mr. C. P. Wade, Concession agreements and to Mr. A. N. Warrack, Miss P. S. maintain diplomatic contact with Wilson.

Mr. Eugene Chen. Before Mr. O'Malley's departure a settlement was reached Hutton, Mr. S. Bessner, Mr. and Mrs. on the subject of the Kiukiang A. F. Miller, Miss Holmes, Mr. A. Concession, the administration of Goodliffe, Mrs. L. W. Jenner, Miss M. Which is being handed over to the R. Jenner, Mr. Fred. Higham, Mr. G. which is being handed over to the Chinese authorities. The question of compensation for losses and Mrs. F. W. Faucett, Miss M. sustained by the British during Faucett, Miss V. Faucett, Master A. the disturbances has been satis- Faucett, Sister T. Ron Ramas, Sister factorily settled .- Reuter.

RECORD ORDERS.

BIG BUSINESS AT THE INDUSTRIAL FAIR.

London, March 5. The British Industries' Fairs which closed in London and Birmingham last night, have resulted in a record number of orders be-

features has been the increased discontinued in the second quardemand for Empire products, ter, when production will revert The Birmingham section estimates to the normal twenty-nine million that orders booked represent tons in accordance with a decision about £4,000,000 and that the at a meeting of the cartel to which business which will ultimately is attributed the favourable posiformed for the purpose of seizing accrue will reach £18,000,000 or tion of the trade. Though German

admit that this year has very February declined, nevertheless the definitely established the position action is welcomed in Germany, Five hundred Japanese naval of the British Industries Fair as where it is interpreted as a cona permanent institution which it siderable concession to German taken up quarters in the Japanese is essential for them to visit producers, greatly reducing Gercotton mills in the case of trou- before they go to Leipzig- many's penalties for the quota ex-British Wireless.

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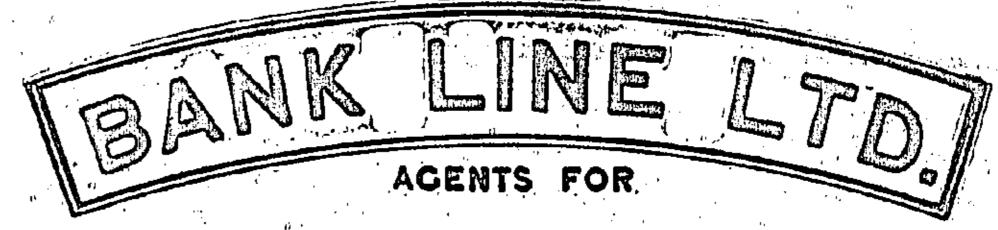
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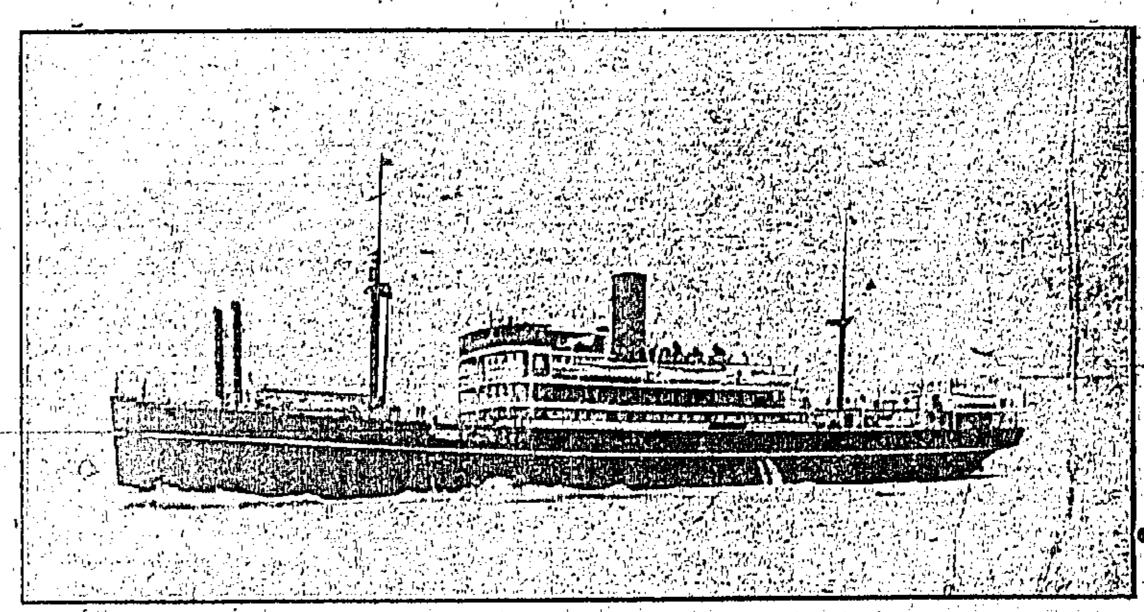
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Sir William also sald that darkhaired women are not able resist disease as easily as their fair-haired sisters. Red-haired women, he declared, have an extraordinary power to resist fection and disease. He con-

tinued: "Cancer is a disease which can

"In England we are trying to collect money for hospitals. I dosed with drugs. We should ill than they have to be criminals.

SCARE IN BROADWAY.

POLICE ACTION AGAINST INDECENT SHOWS.

News York, February 10,-Unknown to the audiences most of British troops to China. intense excitement prevailed broadway theatres last night, "Sex" and "The Virgin Man." The police opened a long proljected campaign for purging the theatres of questionable features and detectives arrived before the the actors and producers that they is reported to be still in France or would be arrested at the conclusion

of the performance. Finally they apprehended some 40 actors, actresses and managers and charged them with participatling in indecent shows and committing a public nuisance.

The Courts came to the rescue be prevented if we keep our in- of three theatrical enterprises. ternal organs, clean. We have it and the 40 arrested persons have in our power to keep our bodies been released on bail and a temso healthy and clean that they porary injunction has been granted are able to resist entirely such permitting the plays to continue diseases as rhoumatism, gout, and until the cases, are legally relviewed.

don't know if you are familiar spend the money we collect on with our hospitals, with their teaching people the simple laws smelly out-patients' departments of health, which will enable them and operating theatres, where poor to keep their bodies " healthy. people are operated upon and People have no more right to be

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KIUKIANG'S NEW STATUS.

Germany, urging his return "for

for the sake of Dr. Sun's will and

KUOMINTANG POLICY.

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mittee of the Kuomintang, which

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various units.

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of buildings, necessary equipmen

show that the sum of at least

\$20,000 will be required at once.

will wish to have a part in it, hav:

decided to issue a special appeal

to the public of Hongkong for this

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would like to state that the ser-

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Local Entertainment Plans.

still remains in Nanchang,

just issued a proclamation

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Mr. Teichman Remains at Hankow.

London, Mar. 6, Mr. O'Malley left Hankow on March 3rd after signing the Kiukinng Agreement to return to Peking to report to Sir Miles Lampson, the British Minister.

Mr. Teichman, the : Chinese Secretary of the British Legation, remains at Hankow to attend to nouncing the latest policy of the the execution of the details of the Concession Agreements and to maintain diplomatic contact with stances six outstanding issuesthe Nationalist Foreign Minister. British Wireless.

TRÖOP MOVEMENTS.

Coldstreams Leave for Shanghai.

Delayed by a change of orders been definitely moved up to Hupeh on Saturday, the 2nd Batt. Cold- and the military campaign is comstream Guards, left for Shanghai pleted. Castle. Other details also left by tion are to continue the Northern undertook a piece of work at the same boat:

has been decided to disembark the General Congress in Canton, and pose of paying \$2 per \$100, which Devonshire, Regiment in Hong- to promote peasant movements, as was to be deducted from the kong, and the Kildonan Castle these latter help military opera- wages of working members, and went alongside the wharf to-day tions considerably. The Commit- the contractor also contributed in preparation.

ing to Hongkong from Shanghai against any suggestions of making \$30 was obtained, there was a fixby the s.s. Vasna on Thursday a compromise with the militarists ed subscription laid down,—so

Cameronians Here.

East from Home, the 1st Battalion | the early return of Mr. , Wang | man from their wages, and went of the Cameronians, arrived on the Ching-wei. s.s. Herminius yesterday after- General Chang Kai-shek has mitted that it must be against noon. They route marched wired to Messrs, T. V. Soong and public policy for subscriptions to through the Wanchai district this Sun Fo expressing his sympathy be raised for a voluntary Society morning, making an effective dis- with the policies contained in the in that manner. The only play, the march being distinguish- declaration. ed by Highland whoops at different points en roule.

The 1st Battalion of the Cameronians (Scottish Rifles) is the old 26th Foot. The Regimental Badges are the Sphinx super-72 Battalions.

able Army List, the Commanding Kowloon. Officer of the 1st Battalion is In Hongkong, premises have and taking up any work. D.S.O., M. K. St. J. Carpendale, In Kowloon, a large godown has should be paid a salary of \$1.20 D. E. M. Woodhouse, M.C., R. F. been kindly loaned for similar per day for labour and provisions. R. Betcher, C. N. Barclay and B. purposes. Plans have also been

The 1st Batt. Green Howards entertainment hall on the site at left by train for Fanling at ten rear of the Y.M.C.A. Building. o'clock this morning, and we un- Huts, or similar places of enterderstand that for the time being tainment, are also being provide all troops remaining in Hongkong at the billeting centres of the will go to Fanling.

INTERESTING REPORTS.

Soviet to Recognise Nationalists.

According to advices reaching Canton from Hankow, the Sovie Government is appointing M. Kar akhan as representative to Sout China, and he is said to be proceeding to Hankow to look after Sino-Russian matters and also to recognise the Nationalist Govern-

On Saturday there was to be big meeting of all public organisations at the Provincial Government, House in Canton for the purpose of protesting against the despatch

The foreign labour delegation, comprising Tom Mann, Earl Browder and M. Doriot, left Canton by the Yueh Han Railway yesterday. They are going on a visit to Hunan and then proceeding to 5, Queen's Buildings. Cheques Hankow.

The Provincial Kuomintang Committee in Canton has sent a performances began and warned telegram to Wang Ching-wei, who

BRITISH FILMS.

NEW GAUMONT STUDIOS.

least 12 pictures a year.

which is the greatest handicap of music.

film production in this country. further subject in their 1927 programme in "The Dover Patrol," Sir Philip Cunliffe Lister, Pre- which will be made on a big scale, an action regarding it. sident of the Board of Trade, has and will tell how the sea road to consented to lay the foundation France was kept open and in-

stone of the new Gaumont studies violate throughout the war. Inspiring Picture. at Shepherd's Bush. The present Gaumont studio, built in 1913, was . This should make an inspiring then the first building to be erect- picture, in the making of which film production, and was consider- co-operate. It would be impossible to imagine a subject for ed the finest studio in existence. This studio is now quite unable which Admiralty assistance could

to cope with the Gaumont pro- more fitly be given. "The Dover Patrol" will take gramme of production, and therefore two more floors are being laid the place of "Land of Hope and down with independent adminis-[Glory," which has been removed tration offices. When these are from the Gaumont programme, precompleted the Gaumont studios sumably because this subject may will be capable of turning out at be made otherwise from an the train from London Bridge Mr. directors, cancellation of capital

UNION SUED.

(Continued from page 1.)

the sake of the Party and country qualifications, the seniors and the for the sake of the people and your juniors. Only the senior members were themselves allowed to take up contracts, and they employed the juniors. A man must serve an apprenticeship. Prima facie this was some qualification of competence. He thought that rule was quite reasonable, as anybody joining and placing himself in the junior grade would be required to qualify, for the senior Party. The declaration states grade. that under the present circum-

The rule referring to the provention of members taking over contracts about which there was a dispute, was next debated.

mics, Militarism, the Labour and His Lordship remarked that he-Peasant movements, and concentration of the Party's powers- was inclined to agree with Mr. will have to be taken up when the McCallum that that rule was headquarters of the Party has illegal.

Deductions from Wages.

Another rule, said Mr. McCalto-day aboard the s.s. Kinfauns Problems for immediate atten- lum, stated that if any member campaign, to put into effect the charge exceeding \$30, that was re-We learn this morning that it policies adopted at the previous ported to the Society for the purtee further declares that the Party out of his own pocket. So appar-The Suffolk Regiment is return-should offer strong opposition ently once a contract exceeding or the Imperialists. The Party much for the workmen and so should also immediately have its much for the foreman contractor. foreign policy and financial The amount due from the former The last of the battalions sent administration unified and request was to be deducted by the foreto the Society's funds. He subapproach they had to it was the Insurance Acts at Home, where the practice was allowed by

Statuary Power. It was also stated that members only should be employed in order With the approval of the Naval to avoid the outflow of benefits. scribed "Egypt" and Dragon su- and Military Authorities, the That, he submitted; was also perscribed "China." During the Directors of the Y.M.C.A. now have | ngainst public policy, because it Great. War the Regiment raised plans well in hand for the enter- might be that there were no availtainment of members of the United lable masons belonging to the According to the latest avail- | Services, both in Hongkong and | Society at that time, and others would be deprived of contracting

Lieut-Col. E. B. Ferrers, D.S.O., been kindly offered, free of rent, Rule No. 9, continued Mr. Mcand the following are the senior in Queen's Buildings, at the corner | Callum, was clearly an effort by officers: Majors H. C. H. Smith, of Chater Road and Ice House the masters to fix the wages of D.S.O., D. H. Thorburn, and A. C. Street. These are being prepare! | their servants. From that rule he L. Stanley, Clarke, D.S.O., and as Headquarters, with provision understood that the foreman con-Captains D. A. H. Graham, M.C., for reading, letter writing, re- tractor was the man who employed A. Galloway, M.C., A. Macmillian, freshments and entertainment. other people, and the rule said they

Society Illegal?

approved for the erection of: an i Mr. McCallum continued that the only benefits wihch accrued to the members so far as the funds were concerned were sacrificial. All the other rules scemed to be mimily for the purpose of controlling the funds and their abstraction from members. There were no other objects which appeared, and the rules were and the maintenance of the work final and inseparable one from the other; and, being final and inseparable, the whole Society must be The Directors, believing that the illegal if they were against public necessity for this work will be

readily seen and that all who can His Lordship remarked that if the rule referring to the qualification for the senior grade was interpreted in the form of an apprenticeship, then he thought that

would be a reasonable rule. Mr. McCallum replied that his vices of their Secretaries are being submission was that there was nothing to give any such indicagiven at no expense to this special Fund and all contributions receiv-

Referring to another rule, his be devoted entirely to the work | Lordship said he did not see why subscriptions should not be defor the Service men. A separate ducted from a man's wages if he Bank account is opened for the

was willing. Mr. McCallum replied that he the Hon. Treasurer, Mr. J. I. would have no option and would be forced to agree to the deductions. McPherson, at the Naval and Mr. McCallum then asked his Lordship to consider what sort of

a Society it was. His Lordship said he did not think it was illegal by reason of the Ordinance which spoke of "unlawful purpose."

Mr: McCallum submitted that Meantime, Gaumont announce a the Society was an unlawful one, and that therefore his Lordship had no jurisdiction to entertain The case is proceeding.

> Mrs. Anna Brearley, 80, and Mrs. Mary Jane Clegg, 58, mother

and daughter, of Whitenall-street, Rochdale, were found dead in bed ed in England expressly for the Admiralty has been asked to at their home, where a gas tap

Stoke-on-Trent workhouse, 'a young man named Jack Prike succeeded in drawing 18s. a week dole for six weeks.

While reading a newspaper in original story by Sir Philip Gibbs, Charles C. Newark, of Addiscombe- to the extent of £1,626,000 and the It is lack of modern studio space and with Sir Edward Elgar's grove, Croydon, collapsed and subsequent restoration of

Entertainments.

RENEE ADOREE ELEANOR BOARDMAN CREIGHTON HALE and LEW CODY

EXCHANGE WIVES

BONAVITA.

MATT MOORE

MARIE PREVOST HIS JAZZ BRIDE.

CORINNE GRIFFITH CLASSIFIED.



MARCONI COMPANY.

DRASTIC CHANGES

RECOMMENDED. London, March 5.

Drastic alterations in Marconi Wireless Telegraph Company are recommended in the report of the Directors, comprising the general re-organisation of the company, the appointment of new normal capital of £4,000,000 by the creation of new shares.—Reuter.

Dr. W. A. McVenn, for many years physician at the Manila Hotel, has died at Fresno, California.

The sixteenth ordinary annual general meeting of shareholders of the Bank of Canton, Ltd., will by held at the Head Office, 6, Des Voeux Road Central, on Wednesday, March 28, at 2.30 p.m.

The fifty-eighth ordinary general meeting of shareholders of the Hongkong Fire Insurance Co., Ltd., will be held at the offices of Messrs. Jardine, Matheson and Co., Ltd., on Monday, March 28, at noon,